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COURT HOUSE NEWS.

What Has Occurred There Since Our Former Report.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Clerk W. H. Henrie, since those last published.

R. K. Kishbach, of Berwick, to Miss Jennie R. Rhinard of same place.

A. L. Sterner, of Light Street, to Miss Flora Eveland of same place.

Henry M. Hamlin, of Centralia, to Miss Mary Catharine Baylor of Catawissa.

Bruce Hartman, of Espy, to Miss Cora A. Schloyer of Berwick.

John Haley, of Catawissa, to Miss Mary Hennesy, of Bloomsburg.

Moses D. Hill, of Catawissa, to Miss Dora Hinderliter of the same place.

George O. Kline, of Rohrsburg, to Miss Margaret Lewis Freeze, of Bloomsburg.

Fred Girton, of Bloomsburg, to Miss Mary Ellen Raup, of Danville.

G. W. Remaly, of Nanticoke, to Miss Emma Hess, of Huntingdon Mills.

J. E. Billig, of Locust township, to Miss Annie Knapp, of Roaringcreek township.

Miles H. Pursel, of Orangeville, to Miss Harriet Shoemaker, of Hemlock township.

TRANSFER OF REAL ESTATE.

The following transfers of real estate have been recorded in the office of C. B. Ent, register and recorder, during the week.

Hannah A. Decker, et. al. to Jennie K. Geiger for land in Catawissa.

Alvah Smith to Laura Smith for land in Bloomsburg.

Rosemont Cemetery Company to Laura Smith, for land in Bloomsburg.

Michael Grover Sheriff to Bloomsburg, M. B. & L. A. for land in Bloomsburg.

Mary V. Hall, et. al. to William W. Trescott, for land in Berwick.

J. L. Richardson and wife, to E. E. Bittenbender for land in Bloomsburg.

Joseph Madaj to Charles Madaj for land in Roaringcreek township.

S. C. Beagle and wife to David A. Markle, for land in Berwick.

C. A. Kleim Ex. et. al. to Caroline Dennis, for land in Bloomsburg.

Locust Mountain Coal and Iron Company to Susannah Pollard for tract of land in Centralia.

C. W. Miller and wife, to L. H. Wolfe for tract of land in Bloomsburg.

J. R. Fowler and wife, to C. W. Miller for land in Bloomsburg.

Morris E. Eves Admr., to J. N. Webb, for land in Bloomsburg.

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B. Frank Zarr and wife to Cosmopolitan Building and Loan Association for land in Bloomsburg.

Abraham M. Ruch and wife, to Cosmopolitan Building and Loan Association for land in Bloomsburg.

Cosmopolitan Building and Loan Association to B. Frank Zarr for land in Bloomsburg.

Reuben Roarbach to William B. Schuch, for land in Bloomsburg.

Encouraging Reports.

The meetings of the Eastern Synod of the Reformed Church, at Milton last week were largely attended, and there were especially big audiences present at those held in the interest of education, foreign missions, home missions, Sunday schools and young people's societies.

The report on the minutes of classes called forth much discussion. The reports of the Sunday School Board and the Board of Publication show their affairs to be in good financial condition, and the Sunday schools greatly improved. The statistical report shows an increase over last year of eleven ministers, one congregation, 1,266 communicants, 127 confirmed, $10,755 for benevolence and $54,684 for congregational purposes. The whole numbers are: Ministers, 293; congregations, 525; communicants, 95,701; confirmed, 4,712; benevolence $92,095; congregational purposes, $435,353.

A. N. Yost Esq., is negotiating for the purchase of the lots of the D. Lowenberg estate, and W. B. Yetter's estate, on the corner of Fourth and Jefferson Streets, and intends to erect some fine dwellings thereon this winter.

Rev. H. L. Maltman of Benton, preached in the Tabernacle on Market street, Sunday night.

ANOTHER FIRE.

On Monday morning about 2 o'clock, the prolonged blowing of a steam whistle aroused the residents of town from their slumbers, and it was soon learned that a house was on fire on Eighth Street. The two fire companies were quickly on hand and a stream of water was soon put on the fire. The fire started in the southeast corner of the house and burned rapidly. Some delay in outening the blaze was caused by the Wynona boys not being able to connect to the water plug, and further delay arose from the fact that the force of water was not sufficient to carry a stream to the burning building. The house was occupied by Daniel Hall, and owned by the Loan Association. The building was nearly totally destroyed. Had the wind been blowing a conflagration could not have been averted.

GAVE FATAL ADVICE.

Terrible Havoc Wrought by Exploding Gasoline.

An explosion of gasoline wrecked three properties and fatally injured Mrs. Celia Ward, of Hazleton, Monday afternoon.

Some one had imparted the information to Mrs. Ward that gasoline was the proper thing to clean a stove. Mrs. Ward acted on the advice, and while she was engaged with the fluid a terrible explosion occurred, tearing out the side of the house and igniting the adjoining buildings. Mrs. Ward was frightfully burned about the hands, face and body. She was removed to the hospital, and the physicians state her death is only a matter of a few days.

Three double dwellings were destroyed by fire and six families rendered homeless without a stitch of clothing. The loss amounts to $15,000.

Election Ballots Stolen.

Judge of election Anthony Gallagher, of Freeland, reported on Monday morning that the contents of the ballot box, containing the ballots for the last spring election, had been stolen from his residence. He had no suspicion of the ballots and tally-sheets being missing until a member of the family found them in a parcel in the coal house on Sunday morning. There was a note wrapped around the package which read: "We borrowed these from you about two weeks ago. Keep quiet about it and you will be rewarded." The above is Mr. Gallagher's version of the affair, but what was he doing with the ballot box in his house? The law requires the depositing of the ballot boxes with the nearest justice of the peace after the vote has been counted, and it was illegal and wrong for Judge of Election Gallagher to have it in his possession.—*Mt. Carmel Item.*

Court Proceedings.

Court convened at nine o'clock, Monday, with Judge Ikeler on the bench.

Mary Delay vs. Emanuel Delay, subpoena in divorce awarded.

Bond and sureties of Catharine A. Rarig, guardian of Howard R., Emory W. and Lester G. Rarig, minor children of Lloyd Rarig, with Charles Mensch and John Rarig as sureties, approved.

R. J. Davis was appointed Judge of Election in Benton Borough to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Elwood Knouse, who was appointed constable.

OVER AN EMBANKMENT.

Fireman Badly Scalded in a Collision Near Wapwollopen.

Engine No. 473 collided with an eastbound coal train on a short curve on the Sunbury division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, near Wapwollopen Saturday morning, both locomotives and eight gondola cars being badly wrecked and thrown down the embankment. George W. Moore, a fireman of Sunbury, was scalded so badly that he now lies in a critical condition and Joseph Ray, of Sunbury and James Derr, of Nescopeck, were seriously injured.

As a result of Judge Craig's opinion in the matter of the appointment of a jail keeper, Frank C. Dietterick who was given the position last spring will now be in charge at the jail. It will be remembered that Harry Kline was serving under the Sheriff, the latter claiming that the commissioners had no right to appoint a janitor for the jail.

RUNNING WATER IS NEVER STALE.

Our stock is like a river—always moving—that's why the store is always progressive, moving onward and upward—not content with "as good" as yesterday but ready to improve it. The taking in of the Jones & Walter store and stock the first of January is another move to better store keeping. We're going to give you the best and finest shopping place in central Pennsylvania. The annexing of the Jones & Walter building to ours by breaking through the walls and putting in arches will necessitate considerable dirt and considerable room will be needed for the carpenters, masons, etc. To get this we must reduce our stock to its lowest point, therefore look to this store for exceptional bargains in suits and overcoats for yourself or boys. It means dollars and cents to you; it means clean savings on honest, reliable merchandise and that right in the face of rising market where goods are advancing everywhere. Although our stock is very large, it might be good advice not to put off the coming.

A Word About Overcoats.

There are plenty of features by which anyone can judge the worth of over garments. Our line will bear the closest examination as regards either style, fit, finish and workmanship, and (quality considered) our prices are not equaled by any establishment in this city.

Genuine black and blue beaver, lined with a pure Italian cloth, pure velvet collar, all sizes for men, 34 to 42—$5.00. Some stores will ask you $7.00 for no better.

Genuine black and blue Kerseys, guaranteed pure wool and fast color, lined with a double warp Italian cloth, has a pure silk velvet collar, is sewed throughout with silk, will give $10 worth of service to anyone—on sale here at $7.50.

Genuine imported Kersey and Melton cloth, blue and black, lined half with pure satin around shoulders, (so's to slip on easy), bottom half with double warp Italian cloth, has a pure silk velvet collar, is made up equal to any merchant tailored coat at $20, and could be retailed at any clothing store at 12 to $15—on sale here at **$10.**

All satin lined, black and blue Kersey coats, of fine Kersey cloth, $12.

Our finest grade of overcoats are 12, 15, 18 and $20.

Young Men's Overcoats.

Ages 15 to 19, elegant blue and blacks, in very stylish cut, $5.00. Swell overcoat in blue and black, of finest Kersey cloth, $7.50.

All silk lined or half silk lined young men's overcoats, very stylish, raw edges, merchant tailored throughout, 9, 10 and $12.

Children's Overcoats & Reefers.

All the plain and fancy fabrics of this season's showing. Reefers, 3 to 8, with large sailor collar, 1.48, 1.98, 2.50, 3.50 and $5.00.

Age 9 to 15, perfectly plain with velvet collar.

CAPE OVERCOATS, 1.98, 2.50, 3.50, 4.50, 5.00 and $6.00. Storm Coats, for men and boys, in all the new colors and fabrics.

$3.50 Boys' Suits

(Age 9 to 15, knee pants.)

We call your particular attention to a line of boys' suits, from 9 to 15, double breasted, of pure wool, Scotch mixtures, plaids and plain colors, strictly pure, fine wool coat, well sewed throughout with silk, lined throughout with an extra strong grade of Italian cloth, are perfect fitting, and we warrant them to hold color during the most severe weather. We claim this suit is as good as any house in this valley sells for $5.00, and will cheerfully refund money if it does not come up to our guarantee in every respect. Our price $3.50.

$2.50

Of course we've lower priced grades of boys' suits. Our $2.50 line of all wool suits for instance is worth shouting about, being made the same as the better grades only not quite so fine.

$1.98

At $1.98 we show several patterns of all wool boys' suits ages 4 to 14, in fancy plaids and neat mixtures. We've a few numbers at $1.48 that give perfect satisfaction at the price.

5.00 and $6.00 for rich and elegant boys' suits of finest imported cheviots and cassimeres, patterns confined to us alone in this community.

Largest and finest Clothing establishment in the valley.

GIDDING & CO.,

5000 feet of floor space entirely devoted to the furnishing of men and boys.

Nearly opposite Court House, Two doors below Post Office,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

EIGHT KILLED.

Fatal Fire in the Von Storch Mine at Scranton.

The Von Storch mine, in the Providence section of Scranton, was the scene of a disastrous fire early Sunday morning in which eight workmen lost their lives and several others had a thrilling escape from the flaming depths. The men who were suffocated in the burning colliery are as follows: Thomas Hill, fire boss married, leaves a wife and several children. John J. Farrell, married. John J. M'Donald, single. John Walsh, single. Thomas Padden, single. Two Poles, whose names could not be learned.

A rescuing party came upon six of the victims at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night. Five were dead and the sixth, Joseph Yankowsky, a Pole, showed signs of life. They hastened out with Yankowsky, and it is thought his life will be saved. His rescue is one of the most heroic in the history of mining.

It is said by the mine officials that it may be a week before the victims' bodies are all recovered, as the roof is collapsing rapidly in the track of the burning timbers which supported it.

A New Racket.

Swindlers in some parts have been working a new racket on the farmer. A well-dressed and glib-tongued stranger drives up to the door and states that he will pay $1 per bushel for the full crop of wheat, which is to be delivered at the nearest railroad point at a specified time. The farmer is requested to sign an agreement to that effect. The agreement afterwards turns up in bank as a note. The swindle was worked to no little extent in some parts of the state.

TWO YOUNG MEN MISSING.

Mystery of the Fate of Emmett C. Lowry and R. S. Reamer.

The relatives and friends of Emmett Charles Lowry and R. S. Reamer, of Pittsburg, are very much exercised concerning them. They left August 20; their destination was unknown, but Lowry, when parting from his brother, promised to advise him of his whereabouts. They were last seen together on a train near Youngstown, O. Their prolonged silence excites apprehensions of foul play or some unexplained misfortune. All practical means of ascertaining their whereabouts have been resorted to. Lowry is 20 years old, slender, 5 feet 6 inches, weighs about 125 pounds; has dark, straight hair, dark eyelashes and gray eyes; is thin-faced; dressed in dark clothes; was attending college. Reamer is also well educated; dressed in dark clothes; is about 25 years old and about 5 feet 10 inches high. They are young men of good habits, rather quiet and reserved. Anybody possessing information concerning either will confer a favor by communicating with David Lowry, No. 312 Fourth avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.

John Kenyon of the Telephone Exchange, caught a sucker while fishing out at the Shaffer bridge on Tuesday that measured about eighteen inches, while four other persons who were with him could not get a single bite. They all wondered why it was that the fish, apparently the only one in the creek at that time, should swim along and bite fast to Kenyon's hook, but they only needed to look into the eyes of the lonely sucker to get the answer, "because I had no other place to go."

Fred M. Kelley of Parsons, West Virginia visited his mother and sister in town last week.

Branching Out.

We are pleased to inform our readers of a transaction that has just been consummated between Gidding & Co. the clothier and Jones & Walter the shoe dealer by which Gidding & Co. will on January 1st, take possession of the Jones & Walter store and stock—giving them the largest establishment in central Pennsylvania. We are pleased to chronicle this event from many standpoints; it shows us that Gidding & Co. have confidence in the growth and prosperity of our town and that their new venture will be a success, that there is very little doubt as their reputation as live and progressive merchants is well known. It is their intention to break through the two walls which adjoin one another and put in an archway—the improvements to be commenced after January 1st. This popular firm will then come before the public with the largest store in this section of the State and one that our people can well be proud of. The stock in the new department will be, as in the other departments, up to date in every particular and surpassed by none in central Pennsylvania.

The only original George H. Adams troupe will present a high class comedy, vaudeville and pantomime entertainment at the Opera House Friday evening. The performance will conclude with the grand fairy trick pantomime, Protecto, in seven scenes, introducing trick scenery and a grand transformation scene, Home of the Fairies.

At a recent meeting of the Ashland School Board it was decided to enforce the compulsory school law in that town. This will have a wholesome effect, and keep many youngsters at school who would otherwise roam the streets.

THE RESULT OF FIRE.

Fire broke out Saturday evening, at the Methodist parsonage on Market Street. The blaze started in an inclosed porch on the back part of the house and burned so rapidly that it was feared the whole building would be destroyed. But the prompt appearance of the Winona Fire Company allayed the fears of the large crowd of people who had gathered on the scene, and it was but a few minutes until the fire was under control. The fire is supposed to have been caused by burning of the soot in the chimney, and some of the fire dropping down on the floor of the porch through a stove pipe hole in the outside wall. A can of oil on the back porch was exploded by the flame, and caused the rapid spread of the fire. Neighbors discovered the flames and gave the alarm, but it was some time before any one got there. Mrs. Worthington drove up town with Dr. Willits' horse, and gave the alarm after the telephone had failed to find some one to ring the bell. When people reached there many of them lost their heads, and began moving out furniture, tearing up carpets, and doing more damage than the fire did.

The damage caused by fire and water together will probably amount to $350 to $400. The only thing that prevented more damage was the fact that the house was built of brick, for had it been a frame structure it would have been totally demolished.

Stephen W. Alvord, one of Bradford County's best newspaper men, and proprietor of the *Local Item* of Towanda, died at his home at that place last week. He learned the printing trade when quite young, and with the exception of 18 years during which time he was the postmaster of Towanda, he has been connected with the newspaper business all his life.

FATE.

"The sky is clouded, the rocks are bare;
The spray of the tempest is white in air;
The winds are out with the waves at play,
And I shall not tempt the sea to-day.

"The trail is narrow, the wood is dim,
The panther clings to the arching limb;
And the lion's whelps are abroad at play,
And I shall not join in the chase to-day."

But the ship sailed safely over the sea,
And the hunters came from the chase in glee;
And the town that was builded upon a rock
Was swallowed up in the earthquake shock.
Brete Harte

NYE'S COSTLY DINNER.

While Nye was not a mountain man to such an extent, there were frequent occasions when he got into the same horizon with "Sam" Davis, and when they associated there were hot times in the old towns.

After Nye had become famous and had taken to lecturing, he had an odd adventure with Davis, whom often before he had met joyously and parted from sadly. It was such an affair, narrates the Chicago Record, as the humorist used to delight to put into print, and it seems impossible that he has not told the story. If he has, the man who has read it heretofore can skip it in this column.

Davis was working on a San Francisco paper, and Nye meeting him, asked if it were true that one could get a royal banquet in the Golden Gate town for the ridiculous prices mentioned by men who had been there. Davis said the stories were overdrawn, but still one could manage to exist on what was set before him, even if he did not have a kegful of money in his possession.

"I'll tell you what," he said, "you come along with me to dinner this evening, and I'll take you to a rotisserie—one of those French restaurants, you know, where you can get something for twenty-five cents. Of if you prefer a fifteen-cent meal——"

"I guess not!" cried Nye, who was spending fifteen dollars a day for being allowed to breathe in the Palace Hotel. "A quarter meal's cheap enough."

After they parted Davis hurried to one of the finest eating-houses in all the Coast country, and had a brief but convincing conversation with the proprietor. He also called in to his aid a man with whom he knew Nye had had some pleasant correspondence, and whom the lecturing knight desired to meet. In the evening the three gourmets approached the lair of good eating. The menu card was presented. It was about as long as the Canadian Pacific's time-table, and made mention of wonderful things gastronomical. But Davis and the other San Franciscan behaved with illtemper when they saw it. There was no variety. It was no better than the ten-cent meals provided on Kearney street, and here they were prepared to pay two bits a head. Finally these two impatiently directed the waiters to bring everything that was on the bill, and they would select something fit to eat out of the lot. Mr. Nye had very little hair, but what he had rose in a spiky way.

"Do you mean to say," he gasped, "that the price of such a meal as you are ordering is a quarter?"

"Well," said Davis, in confusion, "of course fifteen cents would be about the right price, but something seems to be wrong with the chef to-day. Try to make out a little, and we will go somewhere else to-morrow. I am really filled with shame at bringing you here to such a poor, dismal excuse for a dinner, but I hadn't been in here for a month, and didn't know it had run down so."

The two coastwise men objected to everything. The wine was not more than twenty years old, whereas they were paying money enough to get good stuff. The lobsters were wrong in some way, the salads were faulty, they insisted; the bird, the fish, the sirloin—everything clear through to the fruit and ice cream and pastry and coffee and cognac was criticized. It might be considered passable at a twenty-cent place, but at a shop where the price was twenty-five cents it was inexcusable. The worst of it was that they had a guest with them, and he would carry away a poor opinion of San Francisco hospitality. They again called the proprietor over, and forced him to apologize to the visitor for the wretched food he had served. Then Davis paid the checks, which were for twenty-five cents apiece, and Nye nearly fainted when the cashier humbly thanked him.

The next day Nye slipped away from all friendly hands and secretly went around to that restaurant. He wanted to have just one more of those stupendous twenty-five-cent dinners. So he ordered about one-third what he had taken on the previous day. "There's no use wasting food just because it is provided so generously and at such a price," he reasoned. And he called for his check.

Somewhat to his surprise, the check was for twenty-two dollars and seventy cents.

The Davis dinner had been a nice, pleasant little prearranged swindle put up by "Sam" and his friend and the restaurateur.

It was the same "Sam" Davis who, previous to this, had been for one day Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of North Carolina, though he had never been in North Carolina.

Going East one winter, the man from the Coast stopped off at Laramie to renew his troubles with Nye, who was then Justice of the Peace. The Court was busy with a legal hearing, and when Davis appeared in the doorway Nye immediately called him forward.

"Gentlemen of the bar," he said, addressing the two attorneys, "it affords me pleasure to introduce Chief Justice Witherspoon of the North Carolina Supreme Court. Judge, your arrival is most opportune, and I want you to sit here with me and advise me on this case. Join me on the bench." Then, in a whisper, "Back me up, you outlaw, or I'll commit you for ten days as a vagrant."

Never was a case argued with more vigor. This was the first time these Wyoming lawyers had ever confronted a real Chief Justice, and they made the most of it. At intervals of about thirty minutes the eminent forensic light from the South would request that the court be cleared so that he might confer with his distinguished colleague, Judge Nye, upon some abstruse point. Then, while the lawyers and others went down stairs by the front hallway, these two false pretenders would retire by the back stairway to the market of wet merchandise. When the last attorney had finished his oration another conference was held, after which Nye calmly looked down upon the litigants, and said:

"A serious doubt has arisen. This is an assault case such as I have frequently dealt with for months past. I have fined some defendants and released some. But I find I am in the wrong. Judge Witherspoon tells me that by the common law of England the defendant is subject to capital punishment, banishment, fine, imprisonment, or liberty. But he very properly says that there is doubt as to whether or not under Territorial government we are working in the purview of this law. Maybe we are; maybe not. He promises to look it up on his return home. In the meantime, if I have erred in previous decisions, the county is liable to heavy damages as indemnity. I may have let some men go whom I ought to have hanged. I hope, therefore, that as taxpayers, upon whom such money loss would fall, you will agree with me that it is best to say nothing about it until we hear from Judge Witherspoon. I think, and the Judge concurs with me, that we would best dismiss the present action without prejudice. In the meantime the eminent judge requests that we all go down and take a drink on him."

In Laramie they are still waiting for that decision of Judge Witherspoon's.

Amber.

Amber, in the process of hardening, imprisoned the flies and other creatures in its gummy embrace, and there are to-day, perfectly preserved and looking very much alive, although imprisoned. I once saw and tried to purchase a beautiful specimen which contained a lizard with five legs, looking as much alive as a living lizard could look in a teaspoonful of syrup, but it had been dead for thousands of years. That specimen is in a private collection, and no amount of money will buy it.

Amber was at one time more valuable than gold, because it was scarcer. In the fourteenth century and previous to that time amber was made into knives and forks with one prong for the use of princes and dignitaries of the church. In those days nobody knew the real amber fields, and a great deal of it was found by the seashores, where it was washed by the waves. It has been discovered however that the extinct cone-bearing trees flourished in immense forests on the plains of north Germany, and amber is there discovered in large quantities by miners. Large quantities of it are also found in the yellow sandstone along the Baltic shores. There are regularly operated amber mines in east Prussia at Palmicken, and it is also picked from the cliffs, much as placer miner find gold in California pockets. Consequently amber is no longer more valuable than gold, but on the contrary, it is on the market at from $2 to $50 per pound, according to its quality. It is no longer one of the mysteries of the world, but one of the commodities. But the speciments found in various places in peculiar conditions still find their way into the cabinets of the collectors of curios.—Smith D. Fry, in Cincinnatian.

Queer Letters to Officials.

The queer letters that are received by all public men in Washington, from the president down, have frequently been referred to, and, if compiled, would make a curious and interesting volume. There are people in the United States who do not hesitate to make the most ridiculous requests, and public officials receive letters asking for anything from a postage stamp to a row of brick houses.

Postmaster-General Gary is no exception among public officials, and he has quite a collection of odd and curious communications which he has received since taking office. One which he received the other day is a fair sample of these letters.

A lady living in Jersey City gives her full name and address and writes in all sincerity for the postmaster-general to find her husband, who deserted her some years ago. She states in her letter that she has reason to believe that her husband resides "in New York city or out West, either in Michigan, Indiana or Illinois." She encloses a specimen of her husband's handwriting and suggests that the department can locate him from that few and she will attend to him herself when found.—Washington Corr., New York Mail and Express.

The Strongest Stones.

It appears that from the town of Lee in western Massachusetts come some of the strongest marbles in the world. They are found equal to bearing a weight of 13,400 pounds to the cubic inch, but the strongest American limestone comes from Kingston, N. Y., showing a capacity to stand 13,900 pounds pressure to the cubic inch. Tuckahoe marble will bear 12,950 pounds to the cubic inch, this being more than the well known red granite of the Bay of Fundy region, the limit, of this latter material being 11,812. The trap rocks of New Jersey and the dolomites of Staten Island are rated the strongest stones in the United States, their crushing resistance being 24,000 pounds to the cubic inch. Rhode Island granite crushes at 17,750 pounds to the cubic inch, that of Virginia will bear 21,500 pounds, and that from the quarries of Maryland 19,750 pounds. New England granites in general vary somewhat from these standards.—New York Sun.

Fabrics for Winter.

The popular fabrics for winter costumes will be satin cloth, serges, cheviots, Scotch homespuns and tweeds. Velvet and velveteen will be more worn than ever before.

A Fly Creature.

No bird can fly backward without turning; the dragon-fly, however, can do this, and can outstrip the swallow in speed.

SELFISH ALL.

How Abraham Lincoln Secured Peace of Mind on a Trip

Mr. Lincoln once remarked to a fellow-passenger on the old-time mud-wagon coach, on the corduroy road which ante-dated railraods, that all men were prompted by selfishness in doing good or evil. His fellow-passenger was antagonizing his position, when they were passing over a corduroy bridge that spanned a slough. As they crossed this bridge and the mud-wagon was shaking like a Sucker with chills, they espied an old razor-backed sow on the bank of the slough, making a terrible noise because her pigs had got into the slough and were unable to get out; and in danger of drowning. As the old coach began to climb the hillside Mr. Lincoln called out "Driver, can't you stop just a moment?" The driver replied, "If the other fellow don't object." The "other feller"—who was no less a personage than at that time "Colonel" E. D. Baker, the gallant general who gave his life in defense of Old Glory at Ball's Bluff—did not "object," when Mr. Lincoln jumped out, ran back to the slough and began to lift the little pigs out of the mud and water, and place them on the bank. When he returned Colonel Baker remarked: "Now, Abe, where does selfishness come in on this little episode?" "'Why, bless your soul, Ed, that was the very essence of selfishness. I would have had no peace of mind all day had I gone and left that suffering old sow worring over those pigs. I did it to get peace of mind, don't you see?"—Springfield (Ill.) Monitor.

Wasted Indignation.

The man with the florid face and the bald head grew more and more uneasy as he sat at the restaurant table. He tried to read a newspaper, but every now and then would drop it, adjust his glasses and glare up and down the room to find the waiter to whom he had given his order. At last he managed to detain him, at the risk of being scalded by the soup he carried, and inquired:

"How about that dinner I ordered?"

"It will be here immediately, sir," was the answer.

The guest tried to read his newspaper once more, but as the time passed his uneasiness increased until he was glaring up and down the room as fiercely as ever. He found his waiter again and the same conversation was repeated. After two or three more similar attemps he arose and went over to another waiter, who was gracefully leaning aganist a pillar.

"Look here ," said the guest. "I want to know something."

"Yes," responded the waiter.

"What I want to know is this. Am I ever going to get any dinner, and if I do get it when will it be?"

The languid young man looked at him and replied:

"Excuse me. I'm afraid you have made a mistake. I am only a waiter; not a prophet."

Blanketed the Cow.

A well known citizen of the East End recently purchased a high-bred horse. He did not object to his son using the animal until a few nights ago. The son went to the stable, ordered the horse hitched up, and went out for a drive.

Returning home in the early morning, he put the horse in the stable and called to the hostler not to get up as he would attend to matters. At the usual time in the morning the father arose and strolled out to the stable, before the hired man had made his appearance. To his suprise he saw a cow that he owned heavily blanketed, and in the stall the horse he prized so highly was in a terrible condition. The son had been racing and had brought the horse home, white with prespiration. In the excitement he had blanketed the cow and left the horse stand unprotected. He will never be permitted to use the horse again, as the animal was almost ruined.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

That Eye.

A Minneapolis man once invited a friend to dine with him and neglected to telephone his wife to that effect. To make matters worse, both host and visitor stopped in at the club on the way home, and consequently were late for dinner—very late. The dilatory husband undertook to explain his tardiness while dinner was being served, and put up a rather overplausible defense in the line of business complications coming up at the very last moment before he should have left the office. The hostess heard him with ominous politeness, and then calmly said: "Perhaps; but you really can't look me in the eye and tell that story." "No—no," stammered the culprit; and then, as a brilliant idea struck him, "but I'll tell you what I will do; if John will kindly look you in the eye while I repeat what I have said, probably we can make it go."—Minneapolis Tribune.

Joking on the Klondyke.

The Klondyke gold miner held up a nugget which he had just found. It was as big as his fist. "Isn't that a beauty?" he asked.

The consensus of opinion was that the nugget was a beauty indeed.

"Yes, indeed," said one of the old hands, after the others had expressed their admiration, "that nugget is easily worth its weight in corned beef."—Harper's Bazar.

Value of Intuition.

Sherlock Holmes (at burlesque show) That little man over there in the box is a professor of mathematics.

Dr. Cubebs—He is an acquaintance of yours?

Sherlock Holmes—No; I never saw him before in my life.

Dr. Cubebs—Then how do you know he is a professional mathematician??

Sherlock Holmes—By the interest he takes in the figures on the stage.—Chicargo News.

Elements of Success.

Crimsonbeak—The two most successful business men I know live in my town; one is a shoemaker and the other is a photographer.

Yeast— To what do you atribute their success?

"Why, one sells ladies' shoes two sizes too small for the wearer, and the other other takes pictures which never look like the originals."

NERVOUS BREAKDOWN

It Comes to the Preacher from Over Study and Brain Tire—It Comes to Any Person, too, who Worries and Frets.

From the Huron Tribune, Bad Axe, Mich.

A "breaking down of the nervous system" is a modern expression,—a modern complaint. It is induced by prolonged strain and the overtaxing of the nervous system, and is a product of over hurry and hustle. It affects the preacher and the lawyer—the direct result of brain tire. It affects people in any walk of life, too, who worry and fret. It means a depleting of the nerve forces.

It is curable by complete rest and change of scene, also by the use of nerve restoratives and nerve foods. As the first method is not within the reach of all, the latter offers the most universal and practical method of treating the complaint. When it is determined that medicine is to be used, select that one which contains the most nerve-nourishing properties. Do not take nerve tonics. They only stimulate, and the reaction leaves you worse than you were before. Select the medicine that is to the nerves what meat is to the body—one that as it builds up the nerves, also increases your weight. The best thing for the purpose is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the reputation of which is built up by solid and indisputable proof, and which is known in every hamlet in the country.

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(Signed) "REV. J. N. MCCREADY,
Elkton, Mich."

Find attached, the affidavit of Mr. McCready, made before a notary public.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, }
COUNTY OF TUSCOLA. } ss.

J. N. McCready, being duly sworn, says that the above and foregoing statements made by him are true. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of July, 1897. J. D. BROOKES, *Notary Public.*

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Eggs per dozen	.22
Lard per lb	07
Ham per pound	.09
Pork, whole, per pound	.06
Beef, quarter, per pound	.07
Wheat per bushel	1.00
Oats " "	30
Rye " "	.50
Wheat flour per bbl	5 40 to 6.00
Hay per ton	12 to $14
Potatoes per bushel, new	.80
Turnips " "	.25
Onions " "	.65
Sweet potatoes per peck	.20
Tallow per lb	05
Shoulder " "	.08
Side meat " "	.08
Vinegar, per qt	.05
Dried apples per lb	05
Dried cherries, pitted	.12
Raspberries	.12
Cow Hides per lb	3½
Steer " " "	05
Calf Skin	.80
Sheep pelts	.75
Shelled corn per bus	.50
Corn meal, cwt	1.50
Bran, "	.85
Chop "	1.00
Middlings "	.85
Chickens per lb new	.10
" " " old	09
Turkeys " "	.12½
Geese " "	.14
Ducks " "	.08

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WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1st, 1897.

Mr. McKinley and his administration have nobody but themselves to blame for many persons regarding their now-you-see-it, now-don't-you-see-it, manipulation of the Union Pacific Railroad question as a thimble-rigging game in which the people have been buncoed. First the sale of the road was to be postponed and then it wasn't. Those who have carefully studied this matter says that the administration deserves no credit for the raise of $8,000,000 in the bid for the reorganization committee for the property; that it was a question with the reorganization committee of losing all the swag or of giving up enough of it to hush the public clamor which had compelled the announcement that the government would ask the court to postpone the sale of the road for six weeks, in order to give intending competing bidders a chance, and that Mr. McKinley was in too great a hurry to withdraw the application for a postponement of the sale. No interest could possibly have suffered by the postponement of the sale, and the creditors, other than the government, of the road might have been greatly benefitted. Members of the administration may throw bouquets at each other over this business, as they try to make the country believe that they accomplished something which deserves praise, but the country has a way of getting at the inside of things, and it will do so in this case.

There must be something about the New York City campaign which provokes man to profanity. Secretary Bliss is not ordinarily a profane man, but he has been using ugly cuss words in public to emphasize his denial of the charge that funds of the Republican National Committee, of which he is Treasurer, were being used in behalf of Gen. Tracy, the Platt—McKinley candidate for Mayor of greater New York. Mr. Bliss should read his Shakespeare, and ponder his comments upon the fellow who protested too much.

The screws have never been turned upon Ohio republicans employed in the government departments harder than during the present week. Many of them having pleaded poverty as an excuse for not going home to vote, Boss Hanna sent a big batch of railroad tickets—something like 500—from Washington to Columbus, Ohio, and return, to his Washington agent, and these tickets have been placed in the hands of those Ohio republicans who had claimed to be too poor to buy their own railroad tickets, and each of them has been informed that by calling at the Hanna headquarters in Columbus in person he can secure round-trip free transportation from that city to his voting place in the State. And that isn't all; every one of these men has been given a hint that it will be very unwise for him not to go home and cast his vote for the Hanna ticket. Nothing worse than this was ever done, even in the days when a republican candidate for President unblushingly telegraphed asking the chairman of the National Committee, "How are the departments doing?" Still, there are people who swallow all the stuff about civil service reform that emanates from Mark Hanna's administration.

The great McKinley Cuban policy, which was used at the extra session to prevent the House from taking up and adopting, as it should have done, the joint resolution which the Senate adopted, directing the recognition by this government of the belligerency of the Cubans, has, if the friends of the administration know what they are talking about, been abandoned, and Mr. McKinley will refer the whole business to Congress for solution. This seems an astounding statement to make, but it is the McKinley followers who are making it in Washington. Spain's reply to the McKinley policy, which reached Washington this week, seems to have broken the the main spring of the policy, if there really ever was a definite policy, which many doubt. It is semi-officially stated that the communication from Spain will, as a result of an understanding be between the two governments, be kept from both the Spanish and the American public until after it has been submitted to Congress by Mr McKinley. Last Spring Mr. McKinley said in effect to Congress: keep your hands off this question; I can handle it without your assistance, and in December he will appeal to Congress for orders as to what he shall do with it. This sort of thing would be humiliating to a sensitive man. Meanwhile everything else has been dropped and Mr. McKinley, John Sherman, Mr. Day and other prominent members of the administration have gone to Ohio to try to pursuade the voters to keep their hands off Marcus Aurelias Hanna.

Florida's Orange Crop.

Florida's orange crop for 1897-98 will soon be going forward to market, and a good many estimates are being made as to what the crop in the state will figure up. Last season it amounted to about 125,000 boxes. That was the first year's fruit after the freeze, and the crop was accordingly very small, especially when it is recollected that the product of the state had been numbered in millions rather than in thousands of boxes. A careful estimate made by a gentleman in Florida, who is well informed as to the crop throughout the state, places it in round numbers at about 200,000 boxes. It is believed that these figures are conservative, and that the crop will go above rather than below the figures named.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY, }

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'Squire Donohue's Unique Marriage Certificate Aids a Widow.

George Bounds and Mary Rogers were married in Wilkesbarre in 1884 by Squire Donohue. The Squire made a memorandum of the marriage in the lining in his high silk hat. The news of Cleveland's election came on the night of the marriage, and in the public demonstration that followed Donohue's hat was wrecked. It was taken home and laid on a shelf.

Bounds and his wife went West, where the husband was employed on a railroad as brakeman. A year ago he was killed in Colorado. He was a member of the Railway Brotherhood. The latter would pay no insurance to the widow until she furnished a marriage certificate. This she could not do.

She wrote to Donohue, but he had forgotten all about the marriage. Then the widow come on to Wilkesbarre, but the Justice could not identify her.

The woman returned to the West, broken-hearted. Two months or so ago Mrs. Donohue was cleaning house, when she came upon her husband's dilapidated old "stove-pipe hat" of 1884. In the lining was a record of the marriage. It could be read plainly. Squire Donohue then forwarded the hat and a record of the marriage to the widow, now residing in Montana.

Thursday last the Justice received an acknowledgment from Mrs. Bounds. She said that the hat and the Squire's note had done the work, and she had been paid the insurance of $2000 on her husband's death.

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Winter Excursion Tickets on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On November 1 the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will place on sale at its principal ticket offices excursion tickets to all prominent Winter resorts in New Jersey, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Cuba. The tickets will be sold at the usual low rates, with the usual liberal return limits.

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POTATOES.

Potatoes, native to Peru, were discovered by the Spaniards in the neighborhood of Quito, where they were cultivated by the natives. Condor, a monk, first introduced them into Spain, whence they passed into Italy and thence to Belgium. Humboldt says that at the discovery they were cultivated in all the temperate parts of the continent from Chili to New Granada, but not in Mexico. In 1585 potatoes were taken from North Carolina and Virginia, on the return of the colonists sent out by Sir Walter Raleigh, and were first cultivated on his estate near Cork. The sweet potatoes, native of the West Indies, were given to Columbus by the natives of Cuba. They were introduced into England by Sir Francis Drake, who wrote of them in praise, but forgot to send instructions to eat only the root. The gardener of Queen Elizabeth planted them, and ate some of the tops. Being disgusted by the taste, he pulled up his crop, made a fire of the pile, was attracted by the pleasant odor of the burning tubers, picked up a root, ate it, and being pleased with the taste, continued the cultivation and introduced them to the notice of others.—*Calvin Dill Wilson, in November Lippincott's.*

Lippincott's Magazine, for November, 1897.

The complete novel in the November issue of *Lippincott's* is "The Price of a Wife.' by John Strange Winter (Mrs. Stannard). It is a tale of English domestic life, and one of the best which the author of "Bootles' Baby" has written of late years.

"Out of Meeting" is a remarkable paper, half story, half sketch, by the late Thomas Wharton. The inwardness of the Quaker character, and its lingering influence on those who have left the fold to join the world's people, have never been handled with greater insight or more delegate appreciation.

"For His Own People" is a tale of Hawaiian sacrifice by Adeline Knapp, who has seen and crossed the terrible crater of Kilauca, which she describes. William Thomson narrates "A Brazilian Adventure."

The contention of Mr. Lecky's latest book is answered from the standpoint of American democracy, by Fred Perry Powers, under the heading, "Government by 'Gentlemen,'" Frederick H. Dewey calls attention to certain "Oddities of a Famous Climate," namely that of California.

Francis J. Ziegler writes on "Banquets of the Olden Time," and Calvin Dill Wilson on "Vegetables," which have formed a part of banquets in all times.

A little sermon on "Small Courtesies" is offered by Frances Courtenay Baylor. Eva A. Madden tells of "Novelists as Costumers," and T. C. De Leon shows reason for holding that "The Day of Dialect" is over, or nearly so.

The poetry of the number is by Ella Higginson and Susie M. Best.

THE ARMY.

General Miles Recommends That Three Posts be Established in Alaska.

General Miles, commanding general of the United States army, has made his annual report to the secretary of war. He commends the efficiency of the army, and speaks of the progress that has been made on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts in the matter of fortifications. He asks that Congress authorize two more regiments of artillery to garrison the new fortifications and also five additional regiments of infantry. He devotes considerable attention to Alaska and says that the waters of Alaska should be thoroughly examined by the naval forces and that there should be at least three military posts established in the territory to support the civil authorities. He refers to the improved condition of the Indians and recommends that the policy of employing army officers as Indian agents be continued. He makes recommendation in detail for the protection of coast points and say that the maximum peace footing of the army should be one enlisted man to every 1,000 population and the minimum one to every 2,000.

Firemen's Interstate Carnival, Trenton, November 10.

Reduced Rates via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Firemen's Interstate Carnival at Trenton. N. J., November 10, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from New York City, and all points on its line in New Jersey; in Pennsylvania east of and including Harrisburg, Lock Haven, Littlestown, and Nottingham, and in Delaware, north of and including Newark and Dover, at rate of *single fare for the round trip* (no less rate than twenty-five cents), tickets to be sold November 9 and 10, good to return until November 11, 1897.

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The Man Who Swindled Undertaker Calvert Still at Work.

A few days ago a man stepped into the furniture and undertaking establishment of B. Merz, in Morris, Tioga county, and said he wanted to purchase a burial casket for his wife's body and a set of chairs. After agreeing upon the price, he offered a check on the First National Bank of Wellsboro for $6.75 more than the casket and chairs came to and obtained that amount in change. He said he would go back to Blackwell's and measure the corpse so as to be sure about the size of the casket.

As the man did not return, Mr. Merz began to make some inquiries, and he found that he had been sadly mistaken about the identity of his customer, whom he thought he knew when he sold the burial casket. Then he telephoned to the bank and found that the check was entirely worthless, the signer having no money on deposit and no such person being known by the officers.

The swindler is supposed to be the chap who "worked" the same game on Undertaker Calvert at Jersey Shore.

MAY GO FREE.

Luetgert who has been on trial at Chicago for the murder of his wife, and in which case the jury could not agree, will from present indications be given his freedom shortly. In speaking of a new trial, Judge Tuthill, who tried the case said: "I fancy Luetgert will never again be tried. I hardly think that the prosecution can find twelve men who have not already tried the accused in their own minds and either acquitted or convicted him. That is the problem confronting the state's attorney now, and unless he solves it by producing the men, of course Luetgent will go free.

Several museums are very anxious to exhibit Luetgert and are offering to go his bail in order to get him.

In spite of the serious charge against him and after nine of the twelve jurymen were of the opinion that he killed his wife, Luetgert has received many letters from women offering themselves in marriage.

Pennsylvania Day at Chickamauga Battlefield, November 15.

Reduced Rates to Chattanooga via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For Pennsylvania Day at Chickamauga Battlefield, Chattanooga, Tenn., November 15, 1897, when the monuments marking the movements of Pennsylvania troops in that great battle will be dedicated, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all points on its line in Pennsylvania at the extremely low rate of *one cent a mile*, short-line distance, tickets to be sold November 9 to 13, good to leave Chattanooga returning until November 23, 1897, inclusive.

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PILL-SENSE.—It stands to reason that Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills will crowd out of the market many of the nauseous old timers. A better medicine at less than half the price is all the argument needed to keep the demand what it has been—phenomenal—40 doses 10 cents. They cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, and allay all stomach irritations. At all druggists.—28.

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Knorr Begins Life Anew.

State's Chief Witness in Conspiracy Trial Glad It's Over.

Reading, Pa., Oct. 28.—Clifton S. Knorr, whose confession caused such a sensation in the Winterstein-Waller dynamite case at Bloomsburg, upon returning from the latter place to Reading, in company with Sallie Gast, said to Chief Albrecht:

"I have got a job in Philadelphia and have been working for the past two weeks, and am going to settle down for good." He added that hereafter he would steer clear of Reading and Bloomsburg; that he was glad the whole case had been dropped, as he did not like the notoriety and had been treated badly. He declared that he admitted that he had been guilty of a lot of things that he should not have done, but that if convicted and sentenced he would have taken his medicine like a man.

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STATIONS.	EAST. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND	6 25	1.50	10 00	5 50
Cameron	6 38	......	......	6 03
Chulasky	......	......	......	6 07
Danville	6 50	2 12	10 21	6 18
Catawissa	7 03	2 26	....	6 28
Rupert	7 09	2 31	10 36	6 33
Bloomsburg	7 15	2 36	10 41	6 39
Espy	7 23	2 42	10 46	6 45
Lime Ridge	7 30	2 48	......	6 52
Willow Grove	7 34	2 52	......	6 56
Briarcreek	7 38	.....	......	7 00
Berwick	7 48	3 01	11 02	7 06
Beach Haven	7 54	3 07	....	7 12
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 13	......	7 19
Shickshinny	8 10	3 24	11 21	7 35
Hunlock's	8 20	3 34	......	7 47
Nanticoke	8 27	3 42	11 36	7 54
Avondale	8 32	3 47	.....	7 58
Plymouth	8 37	3 52	11 43	8 03
Plymouth Junction	8 42	3 57	......	8 07
Kingston	8 50	4 05	11 52	8 12
Bennett	8 53	4 08	......	8 16
Forty Fort	8 56	4 11	.....	8 19
Wyoming	9 01	4 17	12 00	8 25
West Pittston	9 06	4 22	.....	8 30
Susquehanna Ave	9 10	4 25	12 07	8 33
Pittston	9 15	4 30	12 10	8 39
Duryea	9 19	4 34	......	8 44
Lackawanna	9 24	4 37	......	8 48
Taylor	9 32	4 45	....	8 57
Bellevue	9 37	4 50	....	9 02
SCRANTON	9 42	4 55	12 30	9 07
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

STATIONS.	WEST. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON	6 00	10 20	1 55	6 00
Bellevue	6 05	....	......	......
Taylor	6 10	10 28	2 05	6 10
Lackawanna	6 18	10 35	2 13	6 17
Duryea	6 22	10 38	2 16	6 21
Pittston	6 28	10 42	2 20	6 25
Susquehanna Ave	6 32	10 45	2 23	6 28
West Pittston	6 35	10 48	2 27	6 31
Wyoming	6 40	10 53	2 32	6 36
Forty Fort	6 45	....	..	....
Bennett	6 48	11 00	2 39	6 44
Kingston	6 54	11 04	2 45	6 53
Plymouth Junction	6 59	....	[illegible]	......
Plymouth	7 04	11 12	[illegible]	[illegible]
Avondale	7 09		[illegible]	[illegible]
Nanticoke	7 14	11 20	3 02	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	11 30	3 10	[illegible]
Shickshinny	7 31	11 40	3 24	[illegible]
Hick's Ferry	7 44	11 50	3 35	[illegible]
Beach Haven	7 54	11 55	3 42	[illegible]
Berwick	8 00	12 00	3 49	[illegible]
Briarcreek	8 06		3 55	....
Willow Grove	8 10	12 10	3 59	8 11
Lime Ridge	8 14	12 15	4 04	8 15
Espy	8 21	12 21	4 11	8 23
Bloomsburg	8 28	12 27	4 17	[illegible]
Rupert	8 34	12 32	4 23	[illegible]
Catawissa	8 40	12 36	[illegible]	8 41
Danville	8 55	12 49	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chulasky	....	......	4 49	..
Cameron	9 05	12 58	4 54	[illegible]
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 20	1 10	5 08	9 25
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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7.10	11.40	6.30	2.40	Bloomsbu'g.	8.30	2.40	6.40	6.10
7.08	11.35	6.26	2 3	" P. & R.	8.33	2.42	6.44	6.13
7.03	11.32	6.24	2.35	" Main st..	8.36	2.45	6.47	
		6 20	2.32	..Irondale...		2.47	6.50	6.25
6.53	11.23	6.12	2 20	Paper Mill.	8.41	2.51	6.58	6.37
6.50	11.20	6.09	2.15	..Light St.	8.47	3.00	7.02	6.50
6.40	11.10	5.59	2.00	Orangeville.	8.56	3.10	7.10	7.10
6.29	11.0	5.48	1.35	...Forks ...	9.06	3.20	7.20	7.35
6.25	10.58	5.44	1.30	...Zaner's...	9.09	3.25	7.24	7.4
6.18	10.53	5.37	1.25	.Stillwater.	9.13	3.30	7.29	8.00
6.08	10.43	5.27	1.10	...Benton....	9.23	3.40	7.39	8.10
6.04	10.40	5.22	12.35	...Edson's....	9.26	3.43	7.44	8.50
6.02	10.38	5.20	12.30	.Cole's Cr'k.	9.28	3.47	7.48	8.53
5.58	10.35	5.16	12.25	.Sugarloaf..	9.31	3.52	7.52	9.00
5.53	10.32	5.13	12.10	..Laubach..	9.35	3.57	7.57	9.10
5.43	10.23	5.03	12.05	..Central.	9.45	4.07	8.07	9.30
5.40	10.20	5.00	11.50	.Jam. City..	9.50	4.10	8.10	9.40
am	a m	p m	p m		a m	p m	p m	a m
LEAVE					ARRIVE			

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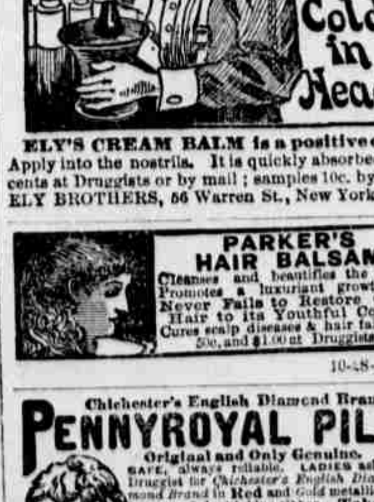

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	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton(D & H)lv	‡ 6 0	‡ 9 38	‡ 2 28	‡ 4 41
Pittston " "	[illegible]	‡10 00	‡ 2 50	5 06
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Wilkesbarre....lv	‡ 7 30	‡10 15	‡ 3 15	‡ 6 00
Plym'th Ferry "	f 7 38	10 20	f 3 23	f 6 08
Nanticoke ..... "	7 46	10 27	3 32	6 17
Mocanaqua....."	8 04	10 45	3 52	6 37
Wapwallopen. "	8 13	10 55	4 01	6 47
Nescopeck ..... ar	8 24	11 10	4 11	7 00
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Pottsville.......lv	‡ 6 00	‡ 9 05	‡12 55	‡ 3 00
Hazleton .... "	7 10	11 05	2 10	5 50
Tomhicken......"	7 30	11 2	2 28	6 10
Fern Glen......"	7 38	11 3	2 37	6 18
Rock Glen......"	7 43	11 4	f 2 43	6 25
Nescopeck...... ar	8 07	....	3 10	6 50
	A M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck.......lv	‡ 8 24	‡11 10	‡ 4 11	‡ 7 00
Creasy ...... "	8 33	Via	4 21	7 09
Espy Ferry.... "	f 8 43	Rock	f 4 30	7 18
E. Bloomsburg"	8 47	Glen	4 33	7 23
		P. M.		
Catawissa...... ar	8 55	12 20	4 40	7 29
Catawissa lv	8 55	12 20	4 40	7 30
S. Danville...."	9 14	12 38	4 57	7 47
Sunbury.........."	9 35	1 00	5 20	8 10
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury lv	‡ 9 45	‡ 1 10	‡ 5 34	‡ 9 25
Lewisburg ....ar	10 15	1 45	6 08	....
Milton .... "	10 10	1 39	6 02	9 52
Williamsport. ."	11 00	2 30	6 53	10 20
Lock Haven....."	11 59	3 40	7 57	11 34
Renovo ...."	A. M.	4 40	8 55	....
Kane........ ......"	....	9 00	....	....
	P. M.	P. M.		
Lock Haven....lv	‡12 10	‡ 3 45	......	......
Bellefonte......ar	1 05	4 44	......	......
Tyrone........ "	2 15	6 00	......	......
Philipsburg...."	4 23	8 26	......	......
Clearfield ......"	5 06	9 09	......	......
Pittsburg ..... "	7 00	11 30	......	......
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury.........lv	‡ 9 50	‡ 1 55	‡ 5 27	‡ 8 30
Harrisburg.....ar	‡11 30	‡ 3 20	6 55	‡10 10
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.
Philadelphia .ar	‡ 3 00	‡ 6 23	‡11 15	‡ 4 30
Baltimore....."	3 10	‡ 6 00	‡ 9 45	....
Washington "	4 10	‡ 7 15	‡10 55	....
	A. M.	P. M.		
Sunbury lv	‡10 05	‡ 2 45	....	......
	P. M.			
Lewistown Jc ar	12 05	‡ 4 37	....	....
Pittsburg......"	‡ 7 00	‡11 30	......	....
	A. M	P. M.	P. M.	P. M
Harrisburg..... lv	‡11 45	‡ 3 50	‡ 7 30	‡10 29
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
Pittsburg........ar	‡ 7 00	‡11 30	‡ 2 00	‡ 5 30

‡ Weekdays. Daily. f Flag station

	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M
Pittsburg.. lv	‡ 8 10	‡ 8 10	‡ 3 10	‡ 8 00
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.
Harrisburg.....ar	‡ 3 30	‡ 3 30	‡10 00	‡ 3 10
		A. M.		A. M
Pittsburg...... .lv	....	....	....	† 8 00
				P. M.
Lewistown Jc. "	....	† 7 30	.....	† 3 15
Sunbury... ar	....	† 9 18	.....	† 5 10
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M
Washington....lv	‡10 40	......	† 7 50	‡10 50
Baltimore "	‡11 50	‡ 4 55	† 8 55	‡12 00
Philadelphia..."	‡11 20	‡ 4 30	‡ 8 30	‡12 25
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Harrisburg..... lv	‡ 3 35	‡ 8 05	†11 40	† 3 55
Sunbury... ..... ar	‡ 5 08	‡ 9 40	1 10	† 5 29
	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
Pittsburg.......lv	‡ 1 00	......	‡ 3 30	‡ 8 00
Clearfield ....."	4 09	......	......	9 21
Philipsburg.. ."	4 56	......	......	[illegible]
Tyrone........ "	7 15	......	† 8 10	11 30
Bellefonte......"	8 31	......	9 32	1 42
Lock Haven...ar	9 30	....	10 30	2 43
	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Erie lv	‡ 3 25	....	......	......
Kane ...."	7 05	....	† 6 30	......
Renovo ...."	10 35	....	10 25	....
Lock Haven...."	11 25	‡ 7 20	11 20	‡ 3 00
	A. M		P. M	
Williamsport.."	12 25	8 30	†12 40	4 00
Milton ......"	1 22	9 18	1 27	4 56
Lewisburg ......"	......	9 05	1 15	4 47
Sunbury... ..... ar	1 50	9 45	1 55	5 23
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Sunbury.......lv	† 5 25	‡ 9 55	† 2 00	† 5 43
S. Danville ....."	5 48	10 17	2 22	6 07
Catawissa....."	6 08	10 35	2 40	6 24
E. Bloomsburg"	Via	10 43	2 46	6 32
Espy Ferry......"	Rock	f10 47	2 50	f 6 36
Creasy ......"	Glen.	10 56	3 00	6 46
Nescopeck ....ar	8 07	11 10	3 12	6 59
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck...... lv	.....	†11 10	‡ 4 15	† 7 05
Rock Glen...... ar	† 6 52	11 35	4 40	7 31
Fern Glen........"	6 59	11 43	4 46	7 37
Tomhicken......"	7 10	11 54	4 55	7 45
		P. M.		
Hazleton ...."	7 37	12 15	5 15	8 05
Pottsville . ... "	8 45	1 20	7 00	9 10
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck...... lv	† 8 07	‡11 10	† 3 13	† 6 59
Wapwallopen.ar	8 18	11 22	3 23	7 09
Mocanaqua....."	8 28	11 32	3 32	7 21
Nanticoke ......"	8 48	11 54	3 52	7 42
		P. M		
Plym'th Ferry "	f 8 56	12 02	4 01	7 52
Wilkesbarre...."	9 05	12 10	4 10	8 00
	A. M	P. M	P. M.	P. M.
Pittston(D & H) ar	† 9 41	†12 49	† 4 55	† 8 32
Scranton " "	10 10	1 16	5 22	9 03

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ELECTION RESULTS.

PENNSYLVANIA—Republican. Beacom for State Treasurer has probably 146,000 plurality.

NEW YORK (City)—Van Wyck, elected Mayor by 75,000 plurality over Low.

NEW YORK (State)—Democratic. Parker for Justice has about 60,000 plurality.

OHIO—Republican. Bushnell re-elected Governor by 10,000 plurality. Legislature claimed by Republicans.

MARYLAND—Legislature in doubt; will choose Gorman's successor. Malster (Rep.) Mayor of Baltimore.

NEW JERSEY—New Assembly seems Republican.

MASSACHUSETTS—Republican. Gov. Wolcott re-elected by probably 85,000 plurality.

IOWA—Republican. Shaw for Governor has about 20,000 plurality.

VIRGINIA—Democratic. Tyler chosen Governor.

KENTUCKY—Democratic. Shackelford elected Clerk of Courts.

TAMMANY WINS.

The great fight in New York that has attracted attention all over the country, resulted in a victory for Tammany. Van Wyck is elected by a plurality of 75,000 or more. Low was second highest in votes and Tracy third.

HERRING DEFEATED.

The official returns from the several districts in the county give J. U. Kurtz, Republican candidate for Associate Judge, a majority of 55 over A. B. Herring, the Democratic candidate. This, we believe, is the first time in the history of Columbia county that a republican has been elected to a county office, over the regular Democratic nominee.

In 1870 Isaac S. Monroe ran as an independent candidate for Associate Judge, against John R. Yohe, the nominee of the Democratic convention, and defeated him. There were causes for this, and the result was not wondered at, at that time.

It is hard to assign causes for the present situation. In Berwick, Kurtz's home, his majority is 437, while Herring's majority in Orange township, his home, is only 9. Bloomsburg gives Kurtz 241 majority, Centralia gives him 58 majority, Conyngham township 116 majority. The other districts giving Kurtz majorities are Briarcreek, Hemlock, Millville, Mt. Pleasant and Scott.

New York and New Jersey fighting their way back among the sisterhood of Democratic States; Ohio staggering and uncertain which flag to follow; Massachusetts faltering in its Republican allegiance; Democratic gains in all the McKinley strongholds—these are not the sequences that were to follow fast upon the heels of renewed Protection and returning Prosperity. The people of the United States appear to be sadly dubious in the face of triumphant Dingleyism.—*Record.*

"Estimated Democratic plurality is 300, a Democratic gain of 477. Swallow's vote in the county is about 500. The Prohibition vote in 1895 was 269. The entire Democratic ticket is elected. Herring for Associate Judge leads Kurtz by about 700. Both are Democrats."

The above appeared in the Phila. *Record* yesterday, dated Bloomsburg, Nov. 2. The local correspondent of that paper is evidently not very well acquainted with Judge Kurtz' politics.

The State's Strong Box.

Treasurer Haywood Reports a Falling Off in the General Fund.

State Treasurer Haywood's report for October, made public Saturday, shows that at the close of business for the month there was $4,023,730.89 in the General Fund, a decrease of $500 000 during the month. Philadelphia banks hold the following accounts: Farmers' and Mechanics' National, $402,729.38; Chestnut Street National, $230,000; People's Bank, $560,000; Quaker City National, $250,000; Sixth National, $5000.

President McKinley for Free Trade.

In his address before the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce on Saturday, President McKinley paid a tribute to the principles of commercial freedom that would have well become the mouth of a champion of Free Trade. Among other things the President said:

Domestic conditions are sure to be improved by large exchanges with the nations of the world. We are already reaching out with good results. Our surplus products of agriculture and manufactures are finding a foreign market, and in the latter case to a degree which would not have been believed possible a quarter of a century ago. We have made wonderful progress in this direction, and have only just begun. Our manufactured products go to every nation of the world, and I hope the time may not be far distant when our ships under the Stars and Stripes will be on every sea where commerce is carried and the wants of mankind are to be supplied.

These are liberal patriotic sentiments in the strongest possible contrast with the principles and policy of the Dingley Tariff with its restrictive duties upon imports, especially upon raw materials, and with its Peter Funk pretense of reciprocity. If the entire reciprocity section of the tariff could be carried out in accordance with the professed design of its authors it would hardly make a ripple in the great ocean of international commerce. What is to be gained by a "trinkgeld" policy from which the nations having the largest trade with the United States are totally excluded? How is commerce to be substantially promoted when from the multitudinous articles of exchange with foreign countries argol, brandy, champagne, still wines, vermouth and paintings and statuary alone are selected for this reciprocity deal? These imports with one exception are articles of voluntary use or luxuries and should be subject to the highest duties consistent with revenue, or in the case of paintings and statuary should be made entirely free. But by a proffer of reduction of duties on this comparatively insignificant list of imports it is hoped to win reciprocal concessions from France and Germany and to accomplish the results upon which President McKinley so eloquently expatiated in his Saturday speech to the merchants of Cincinnati. The free trader might well be pardoned for skepticism when "argols" and "vermouth" with brandy and champagnes are the chief basis of this wonderful scheme of reciprocity.

The November Election.

It is an almost invariable rule of political action in the United States that when the tide shall have swept strongly in one direction at an important election it will move strongly in the opposite direction immediately afterward. Victory brings laxity and overconfidence to the successful party. It also breeds disaffection. For every man who gets a share of the spoils there are ten men who are sent away empty. There were never offices enough to go around, even before the days of civil service reform, and there are still fewer now. And so it is that the Republican flag, carried full high a year ago and planted in the light of the sun, was Tuesday trailed in the mud. The disorganized, disrupted and silver-mad Democracy has risen from its place prone upon the ground and given its old-time enemy an Antæan dig in the ribs which has fairly taken its breath away.—*Ex.*

Although the contents of neither the note from this Government to Spain nor the Spanish reply are definitely known, the newsmongers in their hunt for sensation have decided that the first is "practically an ultimatum" and the second a "defiance." In newsmongery, as in other spheres of human activity, only the first step in the path of evil-doing is hard. Having evolved an ultimatum and a defiance out of their inner consciousness, the sensationalists have unblushingly prophesied a "sharp rejoinder" from Washington to the Spanish reply and a rupture between the two Governments. Thus business is disorganized, the people are thrown into a fever of apprehension and a belligerent spirit is nourished by the work which the devil inspires an idle correspondent to do. Ninety-nine per cent. of the sensational stories of Americo-Spanish relations are rubbish, and should be utterly disregarded.—*Ex.*

This Benefits the Tax Collectors.

The legislature at its last session passed an act for the benefit of the tax collectors of the state who have been unable to collect all such indebtedness within the two years allowed them to do so. In all cases where the power or authority of county, city, township, ward, school and borough collectors have expired, or shall expire during the year 1897, by virtue of the expiration of their term of office, the same shall be revived and extended for another year from the passage of the act which was May 11, 1897.

Prosperity.

With all the boasted prosperity that the city papers flourish, the farmers can realize no more for their products than previous to the McKinley advent, with the single exception of wheat. Foreign starvation raised the price of wheat in this country. But what do the farmers realize for their wheat in this extremity? The boasted dollar wheat has not reached our locality. When Benjamin Harrison was President, the great Russian famine raged in that country to an alarming extent, the president alluding to the starving conditions of that people, informed the farmers that every bushel of their surplus grain was needed by reason of foreign crop failures, and that the farmers of this country would realize a handsome advance profit on their products. But the fact proved that as soon as temporary relief reached the famine stricken country, the prices of farm products relapsed to a lower standard than before the famine. This experience taught me never to again listen to a chief magistrate of the nation as regards the prices of farm products when there is a shortage in foreign countries. By holding on my surplus wheat and other crops, taking the inspiration from the president, I lost on all my products. So much for promised prosperity from headquarters of the government.

The New York *World*, to which I have for many years, been a subscriber, also boomed wheat and farm products, asserting that wheat was now on a parity with gold, thus proving the fallacy of the free coinage of silver, which the silverites always claimed that an ounce of silver bought as much wheat as ever, not conceding the fact that the wheat conditions were abnormal throughout the world, which would necessarily establish abnormal prices. Later however, the *World* asserted "that dollar wheat in the market meant sixty-cent wheat on the farm." The prosperity that we see on paper is a very different prosperity that we realize on the farm. For the fallacious and contradictory teaching of the *World*, I wrote that paper as follows:

To the *World*:

I have no further use for the *World*. A paper that bolts a regular nomination and advocates the single gold standard and monometalism must part company with me.

There might as well be only one code of laws, one nation and one government for the world, as only one standard of value—the unit value of the gold dollar. The simple gold standard, once firmly established for the world, will produce an equality of conditions of each class of business, as it shall stand in the scale of business of the world. I am a farmer, and if the single gold standard shall become a fixed business principle, it will be more profitable to operate a farm in any other country of the world than in the United States. The same is true with the laboring classes. The United States then can offer no better inducements to farmers and laborers, than China or India. In the event of the single gold standard, farmers of all importing countries will get the highest prices for agricultural products, while farmers of exporting countries will get the lowest. Then as the cost of production, costs a great deal more in the United States than in any other country, by reason of higher wages, the farmers of the United States are left in the race of profits. Necessarily labor must be better paid in importing countries than it is in exporting countries, otherwise, how could the laborer live in importing countries, when he can barely live in the United States which is an exporting country. Then the farmers of the United States are put to disadvantage by reason of the tariff, which compel them to buy in the protected home market, but are obliged to sell their products in the open markets of the world. I see nothing in the *World* that is to the interest of American farmers and American laborers, but it is a splendid sheet for Wall Street and Lombarb Street. That the Thrice-A-Week *World* is cheap, is not saying that it is advantageous to the interest of farmers and laboring men.

JOHN C. WENNER,
Cambra, Pa.

P. S. Well the consequence is the New York *World* no longer visits me.

J. C. W.

Handwriting on the Wall.

State Chairman Garman Felicitates Democrats on Their Gains.

Democratic State Chairman Garman, after voting at Nanticoke, came to Harrisburg and received the news at headquarters. At 11 o'clock he made this statement:

"The country is to be congratulated on the fact that the returns seem to show that the people have returned to the Democratic party, New York city has certainly gone Democratic and the returns from Ohio indicate that the greatest trafficker in votes of the nineteenth century has been repudiated by his people.

"Notwithstanding a small vote in Pennsylvania, the returns show that the Republican party and its management have been severely rebuked by the voters. Dr. Swallow has received in many sections a highly complimentary vote, and though many Democrats voiced their protest by voting for Dr. Swallow instead of their own candidates, still the gain shown by Messrs. Brown and Ritter indicate that the people are not averse to sustaining the Democratic party when the candidates are clean and honest men.

CHAIRMAN GARMAN'S FORECAST.

"I think this election is a sort of handwriting on the wall which indicates that next year the Congressional and Gubernatorial elections will probably be favorable to the Democrats. I named yesterday a number of counties which I thought would go Democratic. At this time I have heard from Luzerne and Schuylkill, and both have voted as I predicted. Counting the large vote given to Dr. Swallow and the decreased vote given to Mr. Beacom, I am satisfied that the majority against Mr. Brown, if any, will be surprisingly small."

THANKSGIVING DAY.

President McKinley Issues the Annual Proclamation.

President McKinley on Friday, issued his first Thanksgiving Day proclamation as follows:

"In remembrance of God's goodness to us during the past year, which has been so abundant, 'let us offer unto Him our thanksgiving and pay our vows to the Most High.' Under his watchful providence industry has prospered, the conditions of labor have been improved, the rewards of the husbandman has been increased and the comforts of our homes multiplied. His mighty hand has preserved peace and protected the nation. Respect for law and order has been strengthened, love of free institutions cherished and all sections of our beloved country brought into closer bonds of fraternal regard and generous co-operation. For these great benefits it is our duty to praise the Lord in a spirit of humility and gratitude and to offer up to Him our most earnest supplications. That we may acknowledge our obligation as a people to Him who has so graciously granted to us the blessings of free government and material prosperity, I, William McKinley, president of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of November, for national thanksgiving and prayer, which all of the people are invited to observe with appropriate religious services in their respective places of worship. On this day of rejoicing and domestic reunion let our prayers ascend to the giver of every good and perfect gift for the continuance of His love and favor to us, that our hearts may be filled with charity and good will, and that we may be ever worthy of His beneficent concern."

TRADE REVIEWS.

Dun and Bradstreet's on the Business Situation.

Dun's Review of trade says:

The testing of retail trade is in progress, but results are remarkably retarded by long continued mild weather, and also by the fever in southern districts. Even from that quarter some large orders lately received show better distribution than was yet expected.

In spite of unseasonably warm weather, which greatly hinders retail dealings in winter goods at all points east of the plains, the large number of supplementary orders, with urgent pressure for quick delivery, make it clear that the sales in many branches have exceeded the expectation of dealers, so that replenishment of stocks is not yet finished.

The buying of iron and steel products, though smaller than of late, continues to keep works well engaged ahead, and induces others to resume operations. Both buyers and manufacturers find it prudent to limit engagements ahead, and the period of adjustment will make the industry safer for some time to come. There is great pressure for speedy deliveries, but in bars and wiresome abatement of demand, with slightly lower prices for wire nails.

BUSINESS DISAPPOINTING.

Collections Slower and Orders Smaller and More Infrequent.

Bradstreet sums up the outlook busly:

General trade retains most of the features of a week ago with a continued check to the movement of staple merchandise. At larger eastern and central western cities sales of seasonable goods have not equaled expectations, and at none of those points has the volume of business increased.

Mercantile collections are slower, filling in orders are smaller and more infrequent, and business in staple lines for the latter half of October, aside from that in wool and metals, has been somewhat disappointing.

Consumption of iron and steel continues heavy, but mills refuse orders for 1898 delivery, in the belief that the cost of making iron and steel will be higher. Woolen goods continue firm and in fair demand, with an upward tendency, but cotton fabrics are weak and the market is heavily stocked. Wheat is again above a dollar on continued heavy exports.

The total number of business failures reported throughout the United States this week is 218 compared with 205 last week and 246 in the week a year ago.

READY FOR THE FALL OF 1897.

We announce to the public that our stock for the coming season is now complete in every department. We are now showing a large and new line of Woolens purchased before the new Tariff Bill went into effect, which means a saving of 15 to 20 per cent. to the buyer. We are now offering Fall Suits at the old prices. Our line of Over Coatings, Suitings and Trouserings are more numerous than ever. We are putting up Fall Suits in City Style and at the lowest prices, consistent with good material and skilled workmanship.

FOUR POINTS WE PAY SPECIAL ATTENTION TO:

Correct Style, Reliable Goods, Perfect Fit and Lowest Prices.

Our long experience in the business enable us to give our customers full value for their money. Our Garments are made by skilled workmen, our work we guarantee in every respect. A fine display now on exhibition in the window of

JOHN R. TOWNSEND,

Merchant Tailor, Hatter, and Gents Furnisher.

Here They Come!

For weeks our store has been in that condition so happily described by Chas. Lamb when riding in the stage. A fellow thrust his face in and inquired, "Are you all full inside." Lamb answered, "I don't know about the other fellows, but that last piece of pie did the business for me." Our now crowded shelves seem to fairly hold out beseeching hands and the goods beg to go hence.

Dress Goods.

Here they are in all their radiant loveliness. Nothing that is new is missed. They are all the newest designs and effects and the result of months of working on our part. Price, well the new tariff has not affected these as they were bought before it took effect. So come and secure the benefit.

Furs.

They are to be used largely this year for trimming, and so here they are in every kind and description, at all prices.

Fur Collarettes at all prices.

Shawls.

You will pay more for them when these are gone. Don't wait and then blame us for it. We tell you now. As long as they last we sell them thus:

Full size, all wool, Blanket Shawl at $3.98.

Best, all wool, Blanket Shawl full sized, $6.00.

Underwear.

We have the Best and Biggest stock of Underwear to be found in the County; any price you want; any kind you want. Cotton, Cotton and Wool, All Wool, All wool fleeced lined, and cotton fleeced lined for Ladies, Children, Misses, Boys and Men. Children's Ribbed Underwear from 12c up.

Ladies' Vests and Pants, best ever offered, at 25c. Can't replace for less than 40c.

Ladies' and Children's union suits, 60c to $2.40.

Men's Underwear, 65 per cent. wool, 50c.

Men's Fleeced lined, 50c.

Wrappers.

We have them made of outing flannel at $1.25. Were $1.50 last year.

Hosiery.

Our Hosiery Department is the most complete to be found anywhere, and comprises the best we can find in the market for the money.

Boys' extra heavy hose, 15c. Always 25c elsewhere.

Ladies' wool hose, fine quality, ribbed or plain, 25c.

Ladies' cashmere hose, 50c. Never offered for less than 75c.

Coats & Capes.

Why delay in buying your winter Coat or Cape? It surely won't pay you. When we buy again we pay more. We can't replace them for near the money. Must pay what we are selling them for in most cases. Won't you take advantage of them while they last.

Dishes.

You know we are headquarters for dishes. Can't match our price anywhere for the quality of the dish. They will be higher also, 33⅓ per cent., so buy when you can save money. Want a fancy china dish for a present? Well, here you can get the best assortment in town.

Lamps.

We have them in a great variety, any style you may desire, extremely cheap and pretty, all the newest effects and patterns. Why not give us a call before you buy?

Groceries.

We sell Groceries as we do everything else; the best we can buy for the money. Our grocery department is always full of bargains. Canned goods bought before the rise in price, consequently Best Goods for Least Money.

Pursel & Harman,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Samuel Johnston, late of Madison township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Semuel Johnston, late of Madison township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

W. C. JOHNSTON,
Administrator,
Jerseytown, Pa.

11-4-6t.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bloomsburg Land Improvement Company for the election of officers for the ensuing year, will be held on Monday, November 22, 1897, between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p. m., at the office of the company.

N. U. FUNK,
Secretary.

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HOW TO MAKE MONEY!

If you are out of employment and want a position, paying you from $50 to $100 monthly clear above expenses by working regularly, or, if you want to increase your present income from $200 to $500 yearly, by working at odd times, write the GLOBE CO., 723 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa., stating age, whether married or single, last or present employment, and you can secure a position with them by which you can make more money easier and faster than you ever made before in your life. 11-4-10t

WANTED:— An energetic man to represent a large Tea, Coffee & Spice Co. in Bloomsburg and vicinity. The most liberal terms will be made with the right kind of a man. Address P. O. box 1244, Phila. Pa.

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THE COLUMBIAN.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1897.

Entered at the Post Office at Bloomsburg, Pa. as second class matter, March 1, 1888.

BRIEF MENTION.

About People You Know.

Robt McHenry of Benton was in town on Monday.

Alfred Wanich and family of Scranton, spent Sunday visiting in town.

H. G. Housel, member of the Washington police force, is at home on a visit.

L. J. Townsend and wife of Berwick, Sundayed with relatives in town.

Mrs. A. A. Marple of Norristown, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. H. McKinney.

Miss Mary Gruver, of Nanticoke, spent Sunday in town with Mrs. J. K. Lockard.

John Ellis left on Monday for Lehighton, where he will go in business for himself.

Henry Kelchner and wife, of Stillwater, returned home Sunday after spending a few days in town with their son H. F. Kelchner.

J. E. Roys, who spent last week in New York, selecting his holiday stock of diamonds and jewelry returned home on Saturday.

Rev. F. L. Hiller, of New York who has been visiting his daughter Mrs. Prof. G. E. Wilbur, preached in the Methodist Church Sunday morning.

William F. Bodine and wife and Jonas Kline and wife, attended the funeral of Mrs. David Kline at Mahanoy City, Saturday. The deceased formerly lived in Columbia County.

Legal advertisements on page 7.

B. F. Zarr last week purchased the house and lot on Third Street formerly owned by Charles Krug.

The work of building an addition to the First National Bank building is progressing very rapidly.

Geo. H. Adams and company will appear at the Opera House on Friday evening in "A Crazy Lot." Full of fun.

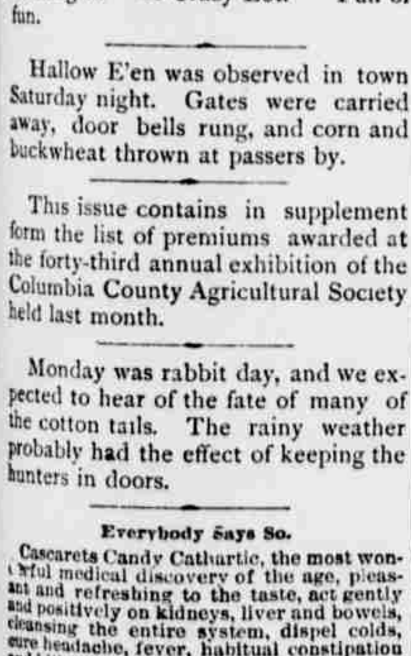
Hallow E'en was observed in town Saturday night. Gates were carried away, door bells rung, and corn and buckwheat thrown at passers by.

This issue contains in supplement form the list of premiums awarded at the forty-third annual exhibition of the Columbia County Agricultural Society held last month.

Monday was rabbit day, and we expected to hear of the fate of many of the cotton tails. The rainy weather probably had the effect of keeping the hunters in doors.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.



WILL WONDERS NEVER CEASE?

Perhaps when we fall asleep, but we are not sleepy yet, so we beg to inform you that we have a QUARTETTE OF WONDERS which we offer you, and guarantee satisfaction or we will cheerfully refund your money. These are the Wonders:

Headache Crackers,
Neuralgia Crackers,
Dyspepsia Crackers,
Cold Crackers.

The Price is a mere song, 10c. They can only be bought of the Manufacturer,

W. S. RISHTON, Ph. G.,
Opposite P O. Pharmacist,

William W. Black is elected sheriff by a full party vote.

Begin advertising your fall and holiday goods now. Advertisements planted now will bear fruit by the time your 60 day bills become due.

Among the list of Pennsylvania pensions issued last week, we notice an additional to John Stiner, of this town.

The large tree at the corner of Main and Market Streets was set on fire Monday morning by a live electric light wire.

Dr. W. H. Purman has moved from the Brower property on Main street, to Third street, between Iron and Centre.

James Scarlet Esq. has been engaged by the prosecution in the case of Sheriff Martin and his deputies for killing the Hazleton strikers.

It is said that the entire apple crop this year will not begin to equal what was wasted a year ago." The price of apples is pretty well up all over.

The Alonzo Hatch Electro-Photo and Musical Co. will appear at the Opera House to-night. The entertainment is highly recommended. Benefit of the Lutheran Church.

The *Daily Monitor*, published at Clearfield, issued its last number on October 23. The reason for the suspension is because the editor could not give the enterprese sufficient time.

"The World Against Her" appeared at the Opera House Friday night before a small but appreciative audience. The drama is a good one and is interpreted by a company of more than ordinary ability.

Diptheria is raging up the creek to a very alarming extent. Another death has occurred from the disease at Stillwater, and the Jonestown public schools have been closed by reason of it.

The vote of Dr. S. C. Swallow Prohibition candidate for State Treasurer exceeds 12500 in the State. This is a surprise not only to his opponents, but to himself as well. He had 1805 votes in this county.

M. B. Ritter, architect and builder, now residing in Williamsport, is erecting a handsome brick residence on East Fifth Street, and will come to Bloomsburg to reside in the near future.

The suggestions of Rev. Dr. Conner in the *Daily* of Monday, concerning the districting of the town and arranging signals so that the location of a fire may be made known, are timely, and should be acted upon at once.

C. C. Peacock is making some extensive improvements on his residence, corner of Fifth and Centre Streets. The house has been moved back ten feet, and the external appearance will be entirely changed by the addition of towers and porches. Thos. Gorrey has the contract.

Mrs. H. H. Grotz and Mrs. P. E. Wirt attended the annual meeting of the Womens' Auxiliary of the diocese of Central Pennsylvania at Williamsport last week. About fifty delegates were present from different towns throughout the state. Much interest was manifested.

Presbyterian Ladies' Exchange Saturday morning in the basement of H. J. Clark's store. Thanksgiving sale held on Wednesday morning, November 24. Orders for dressed turkeys and plum puddings will be taken by Mrs. John Moyer or Mrs. Isaac Miller at any time.

The following letters are advertised Nov. 2, 1897. Mr. James B. Allen, Harvey Bangs, Mr. George W. Brink, Miss Mary Betz, James Creed, Mr. George Fry, Mrs. Charles R. Fox, Miss Leone Gamble, Boston Ideals, Mr. John James, Wesley Miller, Mr. Wm. H. Reppert, Miss Gertie Rothacker, Miss Florence Thomas, Mr. Clarence Veldran. Will be sent to the dead letter office Nov. 16, 1897.

JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

It is singular how varied is the superstition regarding the color green in different countries. It is the national color of the Irish and the imperial green of France is the perpetuation of the royal color of the old Merovin giant Kings. How different is the sentiment toward the color in Scotland. There it is held in the utmost aversion, if not fear. With some of the clans particularly the Caithness men, it is considered fatal.

With this clan the superstition is altogether born of the results of flodden field, where the Caithness men wore the color. It is also considered unlucky by the Ogelvie and Graham clans, the latter telling the story of an old man who was thrown from his horse and killed in a fox chase because he had a green lash in his riding whip.

Mr. Frank Rawlinson of Lewisburg, preached in the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

An unknown man was killed by a train on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Nescopeck some time during Sunday night. There was nothing on his person by which he could be identified, but it is believed he was from Wilkes Barre.

The Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at Carson City last March, reproduced by the verescope, attracted a fair sized audience of men to the Opera House Monday night. The pictures were considerably blurred at times, but never the less were quite interesting, and gives one an opportunity to judge for themselves as to the superiority of the two gladiators.

The Normal School foot ball eleven was defeated at Lewisburg, by the Bucknell University team of that place Saturday afternoon by the close score of 6 to 0. It is claimed to have been one of the best games ever played at Lewisburg. The Normal boys had no idea that they would be able to hold their heavy opponents down to the remarkably small score of 6, but had made up their minds to play the game of their lives, and the result is proof that they carried out their intentions. At one time they were but three yards from Bucknell's goal.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT PITTSBURG.

The Union Trust Company building, at Nos. 335, 337, and 339, Fourth Avenue, caught fire early Friday morning last and in less than an hour the structure was in ruins.

One fireman is reported killed and several others had narrow escapes.

The building was occupied by the Union Trust company, Pittsburg Stock Exchange, Fidelity and Casualty company, East Side Land company, executive committee for the triennial encampment of the Knights Templar, Durr's cafe and a large number of stock brokers.

The fire spread so rapidly that the occupants were unable to save anything but their books, and the loss will be total. For a time it was feared that the flames would reach the adjoining buildings, but after a hard battle the firemen succeeded in confining them to the original limits.

The loss is estimated at from $150,000 to $200,000 on which there is an insurance of about one-half.

The building was erected by Captain J. J. Vandergrift for the Pittsburg Oil Exchange, but was sold to the Union Trust company a few years ago for $150,000, the Oil Exchange removing to other quarters.

BOGUS CHECK WORKERS.

Two middle aged men are making a tour of the neighboring towns, securing money on bogus checks. They were in Ashland Friday, and this is the way they secure money: They went to Burke Brothers furniture store and purchased a large table worth $35, offering in payment a $42.50 check requesting the difference in cash. Burke requested that he endorse the check and he would get the money at the bank. The fellow said, "Oh, never mind, I will go to the hotel and get it cashed, saying I will be back in a few minutes." Of course, he did not return. He then went to Mr. William Landefeld's furniture store and purchased a bed room set, offering the same check. Mr. Landefeld told him to endorse it and that he would get it cashed at the bank. The stranger then got off the same story that he did with Mr. Burke and said he would return as soon as he would get the check cashed. He then went up town to the stove and tin store of John Lauer and made several purchases, offering in payment a $40 check. Mr. Lauer cashed the check, paying the stranger the difference which was $8, and the stranger then gave some excuse about calling for the stove and then left the store, "never to return again."—*Local.*

Somewhere in the South there is said to be an ancient porcelain mug upon which is engraved; "George Washington, esq., General in Chief of the United States Army and Marshal of France." The mug recalls the fact so little known, that Washington really was an officer in the armies of the King of France. How the illustrious champion of Yorktown received that title arose in the following; When old Count Rochambeau came to this country, it was speedily made known that he could not serve under Washington, as the old lieutenant general could only be commanded by the King in person, or, a Marshal of France. A way out of the difficulty was found by Colonel Laurens, who suggested that King Louis make Washington "a Marechal de France." So it was done, and some of the auxiliaries so addressed Washington at Yorktown.

Book Lost.

The person who borrowed Vol. 15, County Court Reports, from the office of Geo. E. Elwell, will confer a favor by returning the same at once. tf

Worn Out?

Do you come to the close of the day thoroughly exhausted? Does this continue day after day, possibly week after week? Perhaps you are even too exhausted to sleep. Then something is wrong. All these things indicate that you are suffering from nervous exhaustion. Your nerves need feeding and your blood enriching.

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, contains just the remedies to meet these wants. The cod-liver oil gives the needed strength, enriches the blood, feeds the nerves, and the hypophosphites give them tone and vigor. Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion.

All druggists; 50c. and $1.00.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

J. E. ROYS.

DO YOU KNOW

That many Silver-Plated articles, marked Quadruple Plate, are not even a good Single Plate?

And Do You Know

That many Solid Silver articles marked Sterling fall considerable short from being 925-1000 fine or real Sterling?

There is no law governing these marks.

We carry only the finest Gold and Silver articles, made by the most celebrated and reliable manufacturers, and we guarantee ever article we sell to be just as represented.

J. E. ROYS.
Jeweler and Optician.

Majorities in the County.

Brown's majority over Beacom is 1189; and over Swallow is 1045; Swallow's vote being higher than Beacom's.

Ritter's majority over McCauley is 1198.

Kurtz's majority over Herring is 55.

Black's majority over Hendershott is 1789.

The Fire-Fighters' Gala Day.

Firemen's Inter-State Carnival at Trenton, Nov. 10th, 1897.

On November 10th, 1897 there will be held at Trenton, New Jersey's Capitol City, a Grand Inter-State Volunteer Firemen's Carnival when it is expected uniformed companies from Pennsylvania, New York, Connecticut, Delaware and New Jersey, accompanied by their apparatus will appear in the parade and participate in the contests.

A number of valuable prizes will be given, amongst them, one each for the finest equipped company, finest apparatus, and for sprint race with apparatus.

To accommodate those wishing to participate in, or witness the contests or parade, the Philadelphia & Reading Railway will, for this occasion, sell Excursion Tickets at the low rate of single fare for the round trip (with a minimum of 25 cents). Tickets good going on November 9th and 10th, and good to return until November 11th, inclusive. For time of trains and rates of fare consult Ticket Agents.

What do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee Have you tried the new food drink called Grain O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains, and tastes like choice coffee but costs about ¼ the price. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

An Opportunity ✻

For Coat Buyers to save money on their coat purchases right in the height of the season, we will hold a

SPECIAL COAT SALE

For one week, commencing on Friday morning, Nov. 5th, and ending Friday evening, Nov. 12th. This will be your opportunity of the Season for Coat Buying. All the goods are new and up to date, and will be sold for Cash, at prices lower than ever. You cannot afford to miss this sale. Come and see for yourself.

Coats.

Ladies' Beaver Coats, fly front double seamed, ½ silk lined,
Sale price $3.00
Ladies' Boucle Coat, fly front, storm collar, ½ silk lined,
Sale price $3.98
Ladies' fine Kersey Cloth Coat Klondyke collar, strap seams, braid finished, fly front,
Sale price $8.00
Ladies' Boucle Coat, fly front, all silk lined, storm collar,
Sale price $5.50
And many others equally as low.

Table Linens and Napkins.

⅝ Table Napkins at $1.35 doz.
¾ Heavy Dinner Napkins at $1.65 doz.
Heavy Table Damask, choice patterns, at 50c yd.
Bleached Table Damask at 72c yd.

Underwear.

Full lines of Ladies' and Children's Underwear. See the 50c Combination Suits for Ladies and Children.

Fur Collarettes.

Right up to to-day in style and at prices to please.
Cana. Seal Collarettes, $2.98
Electric Seal Collarettes, tail trimmings, at $14.00
Astrachan Collarettes, $5.00
Electric Seal Collarettes, $7.00

Capes.

In Cloth, Plush, and Fur, in newest effects, at prices you will appreciate for the values shown.

Dress Trimmings.

The largest collection of new dress trimmings shown; almost anything you might desire in the way of dress garniture. See the 50c braid sets.

Dress Goods.

All the newest effects, and at prices to please you. Some Special Values you cannot afford to pass.

Silks & Velvets.

Full lines in all the leading shades.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

Our trade for October was what we had anticipated, much larger than same month one year ago. We are reaching out with stronger expectations that it may be double a year hence.

We don't deal in produce, but the cash farmers can buy a good coat or cape of us that will fit.

Have just opened 25 new coats for children at $1.48. (Special bargain). Also an extra lot of warm ones for $3.75. These two lots are special and can't be duplicated.

Come in before the stock is broken and see the capes jackets, and the new line of collarettes just purchased a week or so ago.

Collarettes run from $2.75 to $15. Capes and Jackets from $1.95 to $37.50.

The late addition of draped single dress patterns are selling—with the latest in trimmings, either in silks, velvets, braids, cords, gimps, laces, frogs, &c.

About 200 children's new white silk caps, 25c. to $2.50. (Many large sizes.)

A large line of children's dark colored caps and hoods, with many dozens of tam-o-shanters from 25c. up.

HAVE YOU BEEN TO OUR STORE LATELY, AND SEEN THE NEW WINTER STOCK?

There is a striking difference between the prices of goods and produce now, and nearly fifty years ago, when we bartered them off for butter at 8c. lb. and eggs at 6c. doz. Now eggs and butter are each 20c., and good calico, gingham, muslin, &c., 5c. yd. Farmers, remember the old saying, "full cribs mean prosperity."

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

OUR WATCH HOSPITAL

has been remodeled.

CHRONIC CASES

as well as ordinary diseases that the Watch is subject to will be treated in a most skillful manner.

A PERFECT CURE GUARANTEED.

Optical work, and all kinds of Clock and Jewelry repairing a Specialty at

HESS BROTHERS

Jewelers, Opticians and Stationers. Bloomsburg, Pa
—TELEPHONE—

Not Mere . . .
Foot Covers . . .

but easy, comfortable, stylish shoes.

SHOES THAT ARE CORRECT

That's what up-to-date men want. That's what we sell, and we don't draw heavily on pocket books either. Fitting feet is our specialty, and we assure perfect comfort to every patron. We carry the largest stock of boots, shoes and rubbers in the county, and all new and fresh and bright. Every size, every shape, and prices not too high—nor to low.

Jones & Walter
FEET FITTERS
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

WOMAN'S COLUMN.

WOMAN'S WORLD.

Lights and Shades of Life—How Women Can Do Missionary Work at Home.

One of the chief responsibilities devolving upon the summer tourist is in the line of missionary work. Unconsciously, whether she will or no, this duty is thrust upon her. Strangely enough, though, it is not in the interests of her fellow tourists. It is the inhabitants of the various places that she visits who are so benefited; those individuals who, having all their lives long dwelt within a stone's throw of the objects of interest which the tourist has come so far to see, are as grossly ignorant of them as—well, as the tourist is of the objects of interest in her own town. The curious part of it is that these aborigines are so satisfied with their ignorance. They positively pride themselves upon it. At one resort this summer a New York woman spent much of her time in enlarging upon the fact that though she could see the Metropolitan museum from her home yet she had never so much as crossed its threshold. She was a woman, too, not devoid of appreciation. She had scoured every art gallery in Europe with enthusiasm. The Metropolitan was simply too near a neighbor to have any interest in; that was all. The average Philadelphian that one meets has never set foot in Independence hall. A majority of the Bostonians one met this summer were barely aware of the existence of the Shaw monument. "Really," said a westerner, who had so planned her summer trip that it amounted to a pilgrimage to the Shaw monument more than anything else, "I spent most of my time in enlightening Bostonians upon that monument. Those few that had seen it knew nothing about it. One Beacon street camera fiend recalled it with an 'Oh, I know what you mean now. It's that thing that they don't allow you to photograph unless you promise not to sell the pictures.'" The glass flowers at Agassiz hall, Cambridge, that represents the rarest contributions to botanical study in the world, are another thing upon which the bean-eaters are preternaturally ignorant. A year or so ago a Boston club woman was the guest of honor at a club meeting in Jersey City. The subject of the paper for the day was these glass flowers. It was exhaustive in every detail (being written by a woman who was not a Bostonian.) When it was finished the presiding officer turned to the visitor and said: "Now, Mrs.Blank, you are from Boston; you will tell us all that has been left unsaid about these wonderful flowers, won't you?"

It was a trying moment for the Boston woman. Never in all her life had she so much as heard of the flowers until that afternoon, much less seen them. She managed to gasp out in a my-double-and-how-he-undid-me style, however, that "so much has been said, and, on the whole, so well said," etc. And the first thing that she did on her return home was to go out to Agassiz hall, Cambridge and take a look at the glass flowers.—Philadelphia Times

Useful Middle-Aged Women.

The intelligent middle-aged woman is a most excellent person to have around if she is deft-handed, quick-witted and interesting. But most middle-aged women are given to retrospection. If they have to earn their own living there is a feeling of disaffection and disappointment that seriously interferes with excellent service. Girls are ambitious and continually looking ahead for the promotion that does not always come to persons of mature years. Besides, they have a future and they feel it, and whether it is in business or in marriage, they are perpetually on the lookout for opportunities. There are few more doleful situations than those in which old people without any accumulation of savings find themselves. While they are competent, faithful and painstaking they are almost certain to be opinionated and in many instances tenacious in clinging to old ideas and traditions. And so they travel about hopeless and homeless. Sometimes one of them gets a position with quiet people, who are not sticklers for the manner of doing things, and will get along very well. I do not even attempt to keep up with the rush of events, do not seek out and utilize some of the very excellent material that one finds in these middle-aged women. As a useful man around a small place, the old man is likely to prove very satisfactory, and a good old woman can be very helpful and make herself exceedingly agreeable in a house-hold. Perhaps she cannot do very hard work, but she rarely looks for large compensation. It is a great pity that there is not some society or some means by which these really useful persons can be placed in families where their services are much more needed and would be highly appreciated.—New York Ledger.

The Queen's Gold Spoon.

A curious story is told of how one of Queen Victoria's smallest gold spoons was lost and found, says the Lady. A certain dame attended a State ball in a dress, the skirt of which was arranged in perpendicular pleats in front, stretched across at intervals, and, unknown to her, a gold tea-spoon got lodged at supper in one of these receptacles. Of course there was one missing after the ball, and it caused great perturbation to the official in charge of the gold plate.

The next Spring the lady who had been the innocent cause of the loss went to a drawing room in the identical dress she had worn at the State ball, and as she bent low before Her Majesty the pleats of her skirt expanded and the gold spoon fell at the Queen's feet.—Boston Journal.

Cosey Corner Chat.

Italian blankets are a new drapery used for covering lounges and chairs and decorating mantels and pictures The blankets are woven in strips from six inches to two yards wide and are of raw silk thrown on a cotton foundation. All colors and combinations are shown, and they are brilliant and beautiful. They are especially appropriate for Oreintal rooms.

CHEWING GUM.

How One Factory Has Increased Its Business Enormously.

The largest chewing gum factory in the world is in Cleveland, Ohio. Only a few years ago its owner was a poor man, making his gum in the basement of an old building, offering in vain his whole business for a few hundred dollars, and with his wife as his sole assistant. Now his three hundred employes make profits for a millionaire.

The very air around the factory is pregnant with the composite fragrance of the essence used in flavoring. Entering by the packing rooms, the white walls, the fine drift sugar lying everywhere and the rows of white capped girls folding the crisp papers with the deft rapidity of machines give a first impression of odorous whiteness.

The gum making begins in Mexico, its foundation being chicle gum, the chocolate colored exudence of the naseberry tree. The natives gather, pack it in barrels and send it north. At the factory it is picked over and crushed, then placed in large kettles, together with sugar and flavoring extracts. While cooking the revolving cylinder within the kettle keeps the mass constantly stirred. When cooled it is carried to a table where a group of girls knead the ginger-bread-looking stuff, mixing it in sugar until it attains the needed dryness. Transferred to another table it is rolled out to thick square cakes, worked as a cook would pastry, but with sugar taking the place of flour. These cakes are then pressed back and forth under a steam roller until each is in thin strips about eighteen inches wide and a yard long. A grooved roller cuts it into squares which are laid on a tray and left for twenty-four hours. After a day's drying another grooved roller marks it into the shape in which it is sold when it is broken and sent in boxes to the packing room. Here it is wrapped in paper, placed in dainty boxes and then sent to the inspecting room, where each box is opened, examined and passed. All through the process may be noticed the same accurate care and economy. Some girls in the inspecting department are kept busy scraping unevenly-shaped pieces. Every broken scrap is saved and returned to the melting kettle.

The factory is complete in itself, and has many departments. The top floor is given up to the manufacture of pasteboard boxes for the gum. The basement is a light, airy printing office, where many hands are busy with the labels and advertising. A railway switch loads and unloads everything at the door. Six brands of gum are made in the building. Of one brand alone—the Yucatan—the bookkeeper says that 50,900 miles had been sold in ten years, that in each day of the last ten years thirteen and a half miles had been the average sales.

An Honest But Shrewd Yankee.

There is a funny case of international honesty down in Arizona, just on the line between that territory and Mexico. A Yankee farmer lives there, one Amasa Barrow by name, and it is his business to raise chickens. Chicken feed is cheap in Mexico, and chickens bring fine prices in Arizona, but to raise fowls in Mexico and bring them across the boundary, or to buy the feed and bring it across, would involve the payment of a considerable duty, which would eat the profits about as fast as the hens could eat the corn. As for smuggling, that was not to be thought of.

Amasa is a Yankee, and is so honest that his neighbors say he wouldn't take advantage of a man in a horse trade. But he is also full of Yankee ingenuity and, after deep cogitation, he built a long, slim hen coop, one-half of it in Arizona and the other in Mexico. On the line there is a gate. Over the line there are barns containing feed. At feeding time the gate is opened and the chicken fancier shoos his flock into Mexico, where they eat their meal. Then he shoos them back to the protection of the American flag, where they digest this Mexican grain, lay their eggs and carry on their family affairs. Mr. Barrow saves about fifty per cent. on grain, and makes that much on his chickens, and if there is any smuggling done it is done by the innocent and irresponsible biddies — Washington Times.

Salmon That Jump Fifteen Feet.

The first fall on the Mingan is about three miles from the mouth. It is forty-six feet high, in three pitches about equal in height and with seething pools between. The spawning beds of the salmon are on broad, gravelly bars far up the river. They must surmount this fall once a year in order to reach them. We camped on a sand bar below the falls, and watched the struggle. The broad pool below the fall was so full of these royal fish, that their tails and dorsal fins could constantly be seen sticking out of the water. Every minute one or more fish would make a rush from the depths below, spring far into the air, every fibre quivering, and time after time fall back, only the most powerful and determined occasionally succeeding in passing the first pitch. Above that, every nook and crevice in the rocks where the salmon could obtain a resting place, was crowded. Great monsters they were, weighing from twenty-five to forty pounds. How they ever made the second and third pitches I do not know, for there was not the good starting chance that they had in the deep hole below the first pitch — Scribner's.

Lutheran Missions Among the Lepers.

Besides the Leper Asylum at Sirabe, where 240 of those most miserable of all men found shelter and compassion, there has existed for years two Leper Asylums in the South Bengal province of Choto Nagpore, founded and managed by the Gossner Lutheran Missionary Society working among the Kol people, 40,000 of whom have become members of our church in India. Both missions, the Norwegian and German, are greatly in need of substantial aid, the former in consequence of the destruction of their buildings at Sirabe, (in Madagascar) by fire last August, and in many other places; the latter on account of the terrible famine which affects the Kol country also.

A CIPHER CORRESPONDENCE.

It Broke His Heart Until All Was Explained.

When Mrs. Cardamon came back to her writing again after being gone but a few minutes, she found Mr. Cardamon standing in the middle of the floor with a terrible, ghastly, despairing look upon his face and in his hand a sheet of her pretty note paper.

"Sophia," he said sternly, though tears trembled on his eyelashes and his voice was husky, "Sophia, tell me; what have you been doing?"

"Why, I'm sure I don't know," ejaculated Mrs. Cardamon, "I was writing here at my little desk when I happened to think that I hadn't mixed the bread. I left the room for only a few minutes and now I get back to find you gone clean crazy."

"Sophia," responded Mr. Cardamon brokenly, "I almost fear that I am going crazy. You and I have lived together as man and wife for nigh onto forty-two years, and I leave it to you if I have ever given you cause to think of me as other than the kindest, truest, most loving and devoted of husbands."

"Yes, yes, Nathan, but tell me——"

"Wait, woman, until I have done," continued the old man solemnly. "Never, by word or deed have you had reason to believe that there was any other who supplanted you in my affections. All of my actions have been open and clear. I have kept nothing from you, and now to find that you are keeping up a secret, clandestine correspondence in cipher with some one,—I do not want to know who it is,—it breaks my heart. It—breaks—my—heart!"

"But what makes you think this, Nathan? Tell me."

"This," shouted Mr. Cardamon, waving the paper toward her wildly, "this is the damning proof. After you had left the room so suddenly I found it where you had hastily concealed it under a copy of the Home Tidy Maker and Ric Rac Gazette. I can see, even with my old eyes, that it is to some man named 'Mat.' The rest is in cipher. Oh, Sophia!"

"May I see it, please," asked Mrs. Cardamon, coldly. And the old gentleman silently handed her the sheet of delicately scented note paper, upon which was written, in handwriting undeniably hers:

Mat.—Ch 1. sh in sh, ch 11, 2 dc in 1st st of last row of square, chs together, then 1 dc in loop ch 1, 1 dc in loop, ch 1, sh in sh, turn. Ch 1, sh in sh 1, 1 dc in loop, ch 1, sh in sh, ch 15, sh in sh, turn.

"Tell me, Sophia," said Mr. Cardamon, with agony in his voice; "tell me, who is that 'Mat'?"

And Mrs. Cardamon looked him square in the eye and answered, "Lamp Mat, you old fool; and if you aren't too jealous I'll finish copying the directions out of the paper to send to cousin Julia."—Harlem Life.

Not Tailors Enough in Jail.

The plan for keeping busy the convicts in the prisons of the State of New York provides that they shall work for the State and manufacture, as far as possible, everything that the State has occasion to buy. It is proposed that they shall make, among other things, the uniforms of the National Guard, and that is a good plan. The objection to it, that there is at present a dearth of first-class tailors in prison, is not fatal even if true. Of course, since the Dingley law began to work, the inducement of first-class tailors to modify their methods so as to continue at large has been greater than usual, but that, though for a time it may check the operation of the law of supply and demand, is hardly likely to upset it altogether. The State will doubtless have tailors enough presently, and meanwhile it can turn to account in its clothing department its embezzlers, swindlers and convicted professional men, many of whom are persons of taste and experience in dress, and may be expected to take kindly to tailoring. —Life.

Identified.

The street car struck the rear wheel of the bicycle.

The bicyclist described a parabola and fell upon a pile of bricks. The bicyclist raised on one elbow, reached back an arm towards a rear pocket of the knickerbockers, and collapsed, insensible. A sergeant of police felt in the pocket and drew out a silver cocktail flask labelled "J. J. Jones,400 Bonton Avenue."

"Go to 400 Bonton Avenue," said the sergeant to a policeman, "and tell Mrs. Jones that Mr. Jones has—"

The sergeant paused, and drew a hand-mirror from the other rear pocket of the knickerbockers.

"—Tell Mr. Jones that Mrs. Jones has—"

The druggist who was assisting tickled the bicyclist's lips with a feather he was trying to burn under the nostrils. The bicyclist smiled, and murmured : "Charlie!"

"—Tell Mr. and Mrs. Jones that Miss Jones has met with an accident."—Life

Plunged a Clerk into Matrimony.

"Is it any more dangerous to ride a tandem than a regular bicycle?" "I should say it was. I have known two cases in which tandem riding has plunged a clerk on a small salary into matrimony."—Chicago Tribune.

Supposed to be Funny.

Miss Summerboard—Mr. Hayly! do chase that horrid cow away. I don't like her looks.

Farmer Hayly—It 'pears tew be mutual, mum.—Judge.

The Proper Time.

Mrs. Figg—Tommy swore today.

Mr. Figg—Where is he? I'll fix him There's time enough for him to begin swearing when he is grown up and married.—Indianapolis Journal.

In Training For Klondkyke.

"What does Biller mean by riding around every day in an ice wagon?"

"He's in training for the new gold region."

Beyond Him.

Customer: You know that prescription you filled for me yesterday. I want a copy of it.

Druggist: I guess you'll have to get it from the doctor. I never could read his handwriting.

DEATH OF HENRY GEORGE.

Henry George, candidate for mayor of Greater New York on the Jeffersonian Democratic ticket, died at five o'clock Friday morning at the Union Hotel, New York City, from apoplexy.

Mr. George had retired late Thursday night after addressing three large meetings. He seemed in his usual health. About three o'clock Friday morning Mrs. George was awakened by the convulsive movements of her husband. He was moaning faintly. Jumping up, Mrs. George found her husband in a dying condition.

Henry George, who was noted for his championship of the single tax theory, was not an old man but was of an extremely sensitive nature. Those who knew him well feared that he was overworking himself in the mayoralty campaign. At times he was incoherent during his campaign and his whole temperment appeared to have undergone a complete change. He had not been in strong health for three years.

In 1879 he published his now famous book, "Progress and Poverty." In 1880 Mr. George left California and located in New York, where he continued to live until his death. In 1886 he was a candidate for mayor of New York and made an excellent run. It was in that campaign that he started his single-tax paper. Mr. George was again a candidate for mayor of New York this year, having received the nomination and indorsement of several parties.

Millions of Vouchers.

Systematic Files in the Sub Treasury in New York.

In the vaultlike attic of the United States sub treasury building in this city there are more than 20,000,000 cancelled pension checks and other vouchers so systematically filed that the assistant treasurer can within ten minutes put his hand on any particular one of these vouchers run back about thirty years, and the bits of paper are now accumulating at the rate of 2,000,000 a year. A large proportion of the government disbursments are made in New York, and it has been the custom of every United States assistant treasurer to carefully file away the vouchers.

Experience has proven the wisdom of this precaution, for scarcely a week passes that a demand is not made on the New York sub-treasury for the payment of some old claim—usually a bounty or a pension—extending back from ten to twenty years. Some time ago a resident of one of the far western states sent in what appeared to be a valid claim for war bounty, due more than thirty years ago. By direction of Deputy Assistant United States Treasurer Muhlman search was made among the files in the sub-treasury attic, and within a few minutes evidence was found that the claim had been paid many years before. In most cases where claims are made for back payments the canceled checks or other vouchers are found packed away in the file boxes.

In some instances old war claims appear which have not been paid, and after proper investigation they are liquidated. Such cases usually come from the rural districts, and frequently follow the death of a veteran of the war, whose long neglected or forgotten papers are overhauled by surviving relatives. "But in the matter of the great bulk of the old claims presented here," said Deputy Assistant Treasurer Muhlman, "the government is saved trouble and expense because of the preservation of the millions of vouchers."—*New York Times.*

American Navy.

Constructor Hichborn Fears Exhaustion of Appropriations.

In his annual report of the navy, Philip Hichborn, chief constructor of the navy, says that the strength of the navy on October 1st was 141 vessels all told, including the ships of both old and new navies. It is stated that during the last few months of the fiscal year a considerable amount of work upon vessels that had been authorized by congress had to be suspended owing to lack of funds. This caused a heavy drain upon the new appropriations at the beginning of the present fiscal year and makes the exhaustion of those appropriations before the first of next July almost an assured fact. Chief Hichborn says there is a discouraging state of affairs as the exhaustion means a wholesale reduction of the navy yard forces and the discharge of competent and trained men. He points to the advantage and economy of having at least one vessel building at each important navy yard. Probably the most desirable type of vessel for the purpose intended, particularly in view of the present state of the armor question, would be that of a sheathed cruiser of comparatively light draft and great coal endurance with quarters for flag officers. Attention is called to the urgent need of improving the navy yard plants in the interest of economical execution of work, and estimates are submitted for each yard.

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Shortage in Potato Crop.

Not since 1892 has the potato crop of the United States proved so nearly a failure, says the American Agriculturist in its final report of the yield of 1897. Compared with the liberal crop of last year, there is an apparent falling off of nearly 30 per cent. in tonnage, and the quality of the whole is greatly deficient. County and township returns from all the leading potato growing states to this weekly newspaper show the yield of potatoes to be 174,000,000 bushels, against 245,000,000 in 1896, 286,000,000 in 1895, 185,000,000 in 1894 and only 155,000,000 in the short crop of 1892. The average rate yield per acre is placed at 64 bushels, taking the country at large, against 86 bushels in 1896, 89 in 1895 and 62 in 1892.

SUDDEN DEATHS ON THE INCREASE.—People apparently well and happy to-day, to-morrow are stricken down, and in ninety-nine cases out of every hundred the heart is the cause. The king of heart remedies—Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart is within the reach of all, and if there are symptoms of heart disorder it should be used without delay. It relieves in 30 minutes, and cures most chronic cases.—25.

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Sheriff and Deputies to Face Murder Charge

Luzerne County Grand Jury Finds True Bills Against Strikers' Slayers.

The grand jury at Wilkesbarre on Thursday returned a true bill against Sheriff Martin and his deputies for the Lattimer shooting. The true bills included nineteen for murder, one for each man killed, and one for the victims considered collectively.

Thirty-six true bills were found in the same way for felonious wounding against the same defendants. The fact that true bills have been found occasions no surprise, as this action was expected. If the jury had ignored the bills the defendants would have been at once rearrested.

The likelihood is that Sheriff Martin and his deputies will elect to be tried together. The re-entry of Garman and McGahren who withdrew from the case at the time of the preliminary hearing, indicates that the prosecution will be pushed with vigor.

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Tickets for the above tours will be sold from all principal stations on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

For detailed itineraries, giving rates and full information, address Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg, Pa.; E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport, Pa.; or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia. 11-4-2t.

The New Scalp Act.

The scalp act passed by the last state legislature fixes the bounty: For every wild cat two dollars; for every fox, red or gray, one dollar; for every mink fifty cents. The pelt of the animal entire is required to be produced before a justice of peace or alderman and affidavit made to the time and place of killing.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Taken From the Klondike "Daily Goldbug."

Our citizens should not be too censorious of the municipal water-service. While there has undoubtedly been some cause for complaint, the fault is not, the mayor assures us, with the water-department, which is doing all in its power to prevent the accumulation of the gold nuggets and quartz which have choked the pipes and prevented the free flow of water. Citizens will recognize the reasonableness of this explanation and govern themselves accordingly.

The affair which occurred last Tuesday in the Lone Dog saloon has been much exaggerated by special correspondents who infest this region and seem to delight in misrepresentation of its leading citizens. It is to be regretted, of course, that Colonel Brown was obliged to shoot one of the ears off from Major Johnson, but, on the other hand, it must be conceded that the major had no right, even jocularly, to allege that the colonel's mining claims are not worth their salt. Such invidious expressions are to be deplored, as tending not only to the exchange of hostilities, but also in view of their influence upon foreign capital seeking investment in our midst, and timid, as capital always is. Major Johnson's ear may not have been lost in vain should the incident impress upon the thoughtless and jocosely inclined the advantages of a discreet tongue.

Incidents illustrating the richness of the Klondike region continue to come to our notice. At One-eye diggings, three miles north of here, a stranger who came here on a prospecting tour from New York city stopped for dinner at Jim Bludsoe's palatial restaurant and wet-goods dispensary. He remarked, while eating, upon the somewhat gritty character of the potatoes. Upon concluding his repast it was noticed that his teeth were filled with gold. We learn also that a well-to-do farmer from Ohio, who struck the Klondike region last week with cash to exchange for a promising investment, concluded negotiations with two of our prominent citizens and left town the same evening the proud possessor of several handsome gold bricks.

The Klondike paving company, limited, has been incorporated since our last issue. It is rumored that its incorporators are figuring on a contract to re-pave the streets of the New Jerusalem.

We desire to call the attention of our subscribers to the request already made, that subscriptions be paid in cord-wood and vegetables. The office-boy is tired of stacking up nuggets in the ante-room, and the editor's wife and children can't eat gold.

The national convention of the Klondike reform party is in session at Dawson City as we go to press. It is understood to be the programme to declare for the single diamond standard, the party leaders holding that the baser gold metal must inevitably drive out the better currency should the present free and unlimited bimetallic diamond and gold currency system be continued.—Judge.

A Glance into the Future.

The scene is laid in the year 1997. In the commodious museum our highly-specialized and scientifically-developed descendants are spinning along on their bicycles over the asphalted floors. Some are whirling along by themselves, looking at the strange sights; but most of the crowd is following the eloquent professor who rides around the hall on a wheel whose model has not yet been dreamed of and explains the marvels of the exhibition. Stopping before a wild-eyed and timid-looking man who is seated on an elevated platform, the professor holds forth as follows:

"Here, ladies and gentlemen, you see the greatest marvel of the age, and see what will probably be known to your descendants merely as a tradition. This man, who was born and reared on the almost inaccessible slopes of the Rocky mountains, and spent his life in wild fastnesses into which none but the most daring bicyclists could penetrate, was finally captured and at great expense brought here for your entertainment. Ladies and gentlemen, you see before you the last and only man living who knows how to walk. I will now pause for a moment to allow you to purchase photographs of him in the act of walking. Afterward we will proceed to the next platform, where I will explain to you all about the stuffed horse, and tell you some of the characteristics of this wonderful animal that flourished from the preglacial period to within fifty years of the present time."

After the Polling.

"If any more of my friends call," said the candidate for Congress, wearily, as he came down from his private parlor and walked up to the clerk's desk, "tell them I've gone out for a walk."

"Going to stretch your legs a bit?" asked the affable clerk.

"Just the other one," said the candidate sadly.

A Rare Kentucky Treat.

Three men walked into a drug store the other day and one ordered drinks. He and one of the others asked for soda water and then the clerk turned to the third.

"What will you have, sir?"

The man looked at the one who was treating and said:

"You know I don't like soda, John."

Then, turning to the clerk, he said: "Give me five postal cards."—Louisville Evening Post.

A Comfortable Companion.

"Doesn't your wife annoy you by asking questions at the baseball game?"

"Never; she is one of those women who always like to let on that they know all about everything."

Certainly.

Eastern Man (in Florida Town): Have you any doctors in this town?

Land Agent: Why, didn't I just show you the cemetery?

Doubtful.

Briggs: Is Miss Palisade a girl of tact?

Griggs. Well, I don't know. When she refused me she said it wasn't because I couldn't support her.

MECHANICAL AIDS TO MATRIMONY.

Proposals Hidden in Golden Petaled Flowers.

The bashful lover who cannot muster up courage to put the momentous question to the lady he adores need now no longer fall back upon the less romantic resource of declaring his love in a delicately-scented billet-doux. A certain jeweler has provided him with a means whereby he may still avail himself of the older and infinitely more dramatic method of a personal proposal. The means by which this is effected, without the lover being compelled to screw himself up to the ordeal of uttering a few apparently commonplace words, is the presentation of an article of jewelry which at first sight appears to be an innocent Marguerite daisy in white enamel upon gold. By actuating an adroitly-hidden spring in the calyx, however, the single blossom expands into a double one, and upon the newly-revealed petals is written in the tiniest script the all mementous question which timid lovers often fear to utter. Mechanical ingenuity will now have to provide a substitute for the maiden's answer, and so the eligible young woman will require to have on hand a number of floral emblems from which she may choose her answer. If favorable to the suitor, it is suggested that "kiss-me-quick" might be presented with due maidenly coyness, whilst the forget-me-not might be utilized to suggest a sisterly, but not matrimonial, affection, and a love-in-a-mist naturally would be considered appropriate when further inquiries as to the ardent wooer's worldly prospects are desired.

George M. Pullman's Will.

Daughters and Wife Get the Bulk of the Property.

The will of the late George M. Pullman, the palace car magnate was admitted to probate at Chicago on Thursday. To his widow he left the homestead on Prairie avenue. Sufficient funds are also set aside to provide her with an income of $50,000 yearly during her life.

One million each is left in trust for his two daughters, Mrs. Frank O. Lowden, of Chicago, and Mrs. Carolan, of San Francisco. An income of but $3,000 yearly is provided for his two sons, George M., and Sanger W. Mrs. Lowden is also given the summer residence, known as "Castle Rest," on an island in the St. Lawrence river.

About $150,000 in sums of $10,000 and $20,000 is left to various charitable institutions in Chicago. A sum of $200,000 is given for the erection of a manual training school in Pullman, which is also endowed with $1,200,000. Five old employes are given $5,000 each. Two sisters and two brothers of the dead millionaire are given $50,000 each, and another brother gets $25,000.

If the estate shall be more than sufficient to satisfy all the devises, trusts and legacies named, the executors are ordered to divide the excess into two equal shares and add the same respectively to the two portions set aside for the daughters, Mrs. Lowden and Mrs. Carolan. Norman B. Ream and Robert T. Lincoln are appointed executors.

The total value of the estate is shown by the petition for letters testamentary to be $7,600,000. Of this amount, $6,800,000 is personal property and $800,000 realty.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

Truth is a rock large enough for all to stand upon.

A reasonable woman is one who is not always unreasonable.

If some men were to lose their reputation they would be lucky.

The only really happy animal is the goat. He can eat anything.

Children cry for the moon and when they grow up they want the earth.

The scientific study of man is the most difficult of all branches of knowledge.

A person is always startled when he hears himself called old for the first time.

Controversy equalizes fools and wise men in the same way, and the fools know it.

Little minds rejoice over the errors of men of genius as the owl rejoices at an eclipse.

Even a man doesn't like to have the preacher call when the house is all topsy-turvy.

People get wisdom by experience. A man never wakes up his second baby to see it laugh.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as an adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress ¼ the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers. 10-14-4td.

POPULAR SCIENCE.

Zoologists say that all known species of wild animals are gradually diminishing in size.

A mechanical device recently patented pastes paper labels on 100,000 tins in ten hours.

Professor Hillioat, a scientist of British Columbia, who has been living for some time in Indian villages in the interior, now claims to have discovered positive proof that the Pacific coast Indians are of Malay-Polynesian origin.

French authorities say that the intensity of the electric light used on men-of-war has caused eye complaints among the sailors, some of which have led to complete blindness. Gray and blue eyes are more likely to be affected than brown eyes. The eye troubles are due not only to the intensity of the light, but also, it is said by some, to the action of the ultra violet rays.

It is asserted by a correspondent of the *Gardener's Chronicle* that wasps not only devour ripe fruits, such as apricots, grapes and pears, but that they extend their ravages to rosebuds and blown roses. The blossoms and buds covering two flourishing rose bushes belonging to him were destroyed by wasps, in spite of the battle which he waged with the insects for the preservation of his flowers.

A Calcutta physician who was attacked by a swarm of bees, says *Popular Science News*, was stung on the hand, head, face and neck, no fewer than 150 stings being afterwark taken from his neck. Fortunately he had some ipecacuanha powder with him, which he immediately had made into a paste and smeared over the head, face and neck. The effect was most marked, preventing to a large extent the swelling and pain which invariably follow the bee's sting.

Statistics tending to prove that the average duration of man's life has been increased through modern improvements in medicine and hygiene are always interesting. Among the most recent instances in a table prepared by a correspondent of *Nature*, showing a steady increase in the proportion of saxagenarians among the population of Canada. In 1851, out of every one hundred persons living in Canada, 3.70 were sixty years of age or over. In 1861 the percentage of sexagenarians in the population had increased to 4.49. In 1871 had become 5.10 in 1881 6.32 and in 1891 7.01.

HAD HE AN ACCOMPLICE?

Goodwin's Conversation Arouses a Suspicion in His Guard's Mind.

Walter Goodwin, who is in Wellsboro jail under sentence of death, still shows abundant nerve. He appears quite unconcerned about his fate and talks freely with his keeper on the subject.

A few days ago he began to speculate upon the date of his execution. He said that if the governor did not fix the date very soon, he didn't believe that he would do so until next spring. Then Goodwin again stoutly denied that he killed his wife. "Why," said he, "I know the people are against me and believe that I am guilty. I would confess the crime now if I had anything to confess. There is nothing for me to make now by keeping my mouth shut. But I suppose I might as well be hanged as any one else." He went on to say that some one certainly murdered Effie and that that person ought to be hanged. He talked to his keeper so much upon this subject that he has more than half convinced him that there was another person connected with the foul crime who was perhaps the principal actor on that fateful Friday night.

Goodwin still manipulates his dirty pack of cards more or less, but he gives some time to reading the Bible, and he has been heard to say that it is a pretty good book. He has found time, however, to devour a pile of old novels in the jail, and to finger his banjo, which was brought to him last week.

Here's a Fish Story.

It Indicates That the Prize Liar Has Taken Up Residence in Greensburg.

In the vicinity of Livermore and in the Conemaugh river there has been known to exist a great fish. Many people have seen the monster, and its size has been estimated at various lengths and weights. The drouth settled the dispute. The great Conemaugh, with its tons of bass and pike and the giant fish, began to dry up ten days ago, and within that time thousands of people gathered along the banks in hope of detecting the big fish. The lucky lot fell to a little fellow named Davis, who, it is said, has not slept for a week because he wanted that fish, and he captured it, too. It was a pike weighing thirty-five pounds and was five feet two inches long. Mr. Dixon, who told the story of the great find here does not believe there is another of its kind in the country. The people now want a rain, for all interest in fish has been lost, save to protect the few that have been left.

CURIOUS FACTS.

The greatest ocean depth ever found by measurement was in the Atlantic near Puerto Rico—4651 fathoms.

Of the 400,000 Christian hymns that have been written it is said that Charles Wesley alone wrote 6500 and Isaac Watts 400.

Within the Antartic circle there has never been found a flowering plant in the Arctic regions there are 702 different species of flowers.

It has been estimated that an oak of average size, during the five months it is in leaf every year, sucks from the earth about 123 tons of water.

The horse, when grazing, is guided entirely by the nostrils in the choice of proper food, and blind horses are never known to make mistakes in their diet.

Vegetables, suffering physical injury, are thrown into a state of fever. Potatoes showed a rise of temperature of a little over two-tenths of a degree at the end of the second day, falling to the end of the fifth day.

The Russian photographers have a strange way of punishing those who, having received their photos, do not pay their bills. They hang the pictures of the delinquents upside down at the entrance of their studios.

Rats often leave a building before it falls down, because, it is probable that the settling of the beams and bricks causes noises that, inaudible to human beings, may be perfectly so, and very alarming besides, to the rodents.

Spanning, an inlet of the Yellow Sea near Sangang, China, is a bridge five and a quarter miles long, with 300 piers of masonry, and having its roadway sixty feet above the water. This work is said to have been accomplished by Chinese engineers 800 years ago.

Hanna Denies the Power of a Protective Tariff to Raise Wages.

Hanna is apostate to the principles of protection. The excuse for protection has always been that it raises the workingman's wages, no matter what the condition of the labor market may be. Under protection it was not necessary that the surplus labor should be employed before wages would rise. Protection would inevitably bring about a rise. But Mark Hanna says of the present situation, under full protection:

"It is necessary that business should improve so much that the surplus of labor shall be used up before it is possible that the general scale of wages shall be advanced. It is the same old principle of supply and demand."

This is very significant. It practically denies the power of a protective tariff to increase wages. Not until the surplus labor—the thousands begging for work in the large cities and tramping the country—is absorbed can wages be expected to rise. No one claims that under protection surplus labor is ever absorbed. If this were so, strikes would succeed under protection to a greater extent than under a low tariff. But they do not.

Mark Hanna knows, if anybody does, that it is the law of supply and demand that fixes wages and not a high tariff. And he has in an unguarded moment said so, thereby announcing himself an apostate to the McKinley doctrine.

DIVORCE NOTICE.

COUNTY OF COLUMBIA, SS.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said county of Columbia, greeting: We command you that by publication once a week for four full weeks successively in two newspapers, viz: COLUMBIAN and *Sentinel*, published in your bailiwick, you notify James Zimmerman, late of your county, to be and appear in our Court of Common Pleas for the county of Columbia, on the first Monday of December next, then and there to show cause. If any he has, why Lillie Zimmerman should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with James Zimmerman, according to the prayer of petition or libel filed in said court, and have you then and there this order, and make your return how you have executed the same. Witness the Honorable E. R. Ikeler, President of our said court at Bloomsburg, the 9th day of October 1897.

W. H. HENRIE,
Prothonotary.

R. R. ZARR, Deputy.
10-28-4t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of A. J. Evans, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, deceased.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to distribute balance of fund in hands of executor as shown by first and final account, to parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg for the performance of his duties on Monday, November 15, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims must appear and present the same, or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.

L. E. WALLER,
Auditor.
10-21-4t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mathias Whitenight, late of Hemlock township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to M. C. Whitenight and I. M. C. L. Whitenight, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

M. C. WHITENIGHT,
I. M. C. L. WHITENIGHT,
Executors.
Vanderslice, Atty.
10-14-6t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Parson Edwards, late of Madison township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Parson Edwards, late of Madison township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administratrix, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

ADALINE C. EDWARDS,
Administratrix,
Jerseytown, Pa.
Quick, Atty.
10-7-6t.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

N. U. FUNK,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Mrs. Ent's Building, Court House Alley,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A. L. FRITZ,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Post Office Building, 2nd floor,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

C. W. MILLER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Wirt's Building, 2nd floor,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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FREEZE & HARMAN,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.
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Columbian Building, 2nd floor,
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.
Office in Peacock's building, Market Square.

W. H. SNYDER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Office 2nd floor Mrs. Ents building,
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A. N. YOST,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

H. A. McKILLIP.
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Columbian Building, 2nd Floor.
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Hartman Building, Market Square,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

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Office back of Farmers' National Bank.
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.
Office in Clark's Block, corner of 2nd and Centre Streets, 1-12-'94

W. A. EVERT,
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Moyer Bros. Building, 2nd floor,
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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT,
Office in Lockard's Building.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
Clark's Building, cor. Main and Centre Sts.,
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Office, North Market Street,
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THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Public Sale.

The heirs of Col. H. R. Kline, deceased, will sell at the residence of the decedent in Orangeville, Pa., on Saturday, November 20th, 1897, at two o'clock p. m. valuable real estate consisting of a house and lot situated in the village of Orangeville. The property is nicely located and will make a very desirable residence.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily and forever, be made well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over 400,000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac of your druggist, under guarantee to cure, 50c or $1.00. Booklet and sample mailed free. Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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During November we will show special values in fancy rockers.
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Parlor Suites in rich green velour, silk embroidered at
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STATE NEWS.

—Collectors of State and County taxes in Berks County have been notified by the Commissioners to press collections.

—Andrew Gaub and Tony Chroma were killed yesterday in Wilkes-Barre while at work in a cave last week.

—Clearfield was visited by the first snow storm of the season last week.

—Robert Coyne, of Locust Gap, aged about 16 years was killed on the P. & R. road between Ashland and Shamokin Monday. How the accident happened is not fully known but the supposition is that he fell between the cars while stealing a ride and was so frightfully mangled that he subsequently died. The body was brought to the Minres' hospital where it awaits the action of relatives.

—The Lewisburg, Milton and Watsontown Passenger Railway company on Saturday commenced laying rails on their line between Milton and the Lewisburg bridge. Work was begun at both ends of the line and about 3,000 feet of track can be laid a day. The company commenced tearing up Front street at the upper end of Milton, and had competed down as far as Second street, where they were stopped by the borough. They will be compelled to lay track over this section before any further excavation will be allowed. The trolley poles are being put in position below Milton.

—Burglars broke into the post office at Forty-Fort, Luzerne County Monday night, and secured $171.85.

—Reading's Mayor has approved an ordinance taxing unnaturalized persons employed on public work in that city.

—Carbon County is excited over the discovery of what purports to be gold in the vicinity of Lehighton and Weissport.

—A passenger train killed Robert Coyne, aged 16, as he was stepping across the railroad near Ashland on Tuesday.

—Counsel for Sheriff Martin, of Luzerne County, deny that they will ask for a change of venue in the miners' cases on the ground that he and his deputies cannot get a fair trial in Luzerne.

An Arab Proverb.

The Arab proverb says: "Who knows not, and knows not that he knows not, is a fool—shun him. Who knows not, and knows that he knows not, is humble—teach him. Who knows, but knows not that he knows, is asleep—wake him. Who knows, and knows that he knows, is wise—follow him."

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways. The first way is from imperfect action of the kidneys. The second way is from careless local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or diseases, except in rare cases. It is situated back of and very close to the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort. The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided. To find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, and bladder remedy, is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention THE COLUMBIAN and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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Districts.	State Treas.			Auditor Gen.			Asso. Judge.		Sheriff.			Coroner.			Jury Com.		
	Beacom, R.	Brown, D.	Swallow, P.	McCauley, R.	Ritter, D.	Lathrope, P.	Kurtz, R.	Herring, D.	Hendershott, R.	Black, D.	Smith, P.	Davis, R.	Gerrity, D.	Eves, P.	Crawford, R.	Hummer, D.	White, P.
Beaver	16	100	2	16	98	..	19	97	15	103		15	97		15	99	..
Benton Boro	15	65	48	16	78	35	41	65	11	72	47	16	77	31	17	81	27
Benton Township	25	106	23	26	110	16	38	105	24	113	16	27	112	13	25	114	12
Berwick, N. E.	45	53	81	73	66	53	131	41	50	81	36	56	68	41	56	71	38
Berwick, S. E.	42	32	117	69	56	55	166	23	78	78	31	79	61	31	79	65	34
Berwick, N. W.	50	30	73	65	43	35	121	25	70	55	22	72	43	25	73	44	25
Berwick, S. W.	58	23	74	70	39	35	129	24	71	55	22	75	39	26	76	43	24
Bloom, 1st	86	75	58	97	88	27	133	70	81	116	18	94	88	25	92	94	22
Bloom, 2nd	84	71	68	102	82	35	129	78	100	95	28	107	79	34	104	87	28
Bloom, 3rd	135	109	95	160	128	52	212	120	150	167	52	169	121	43	166	131	39
Bloom, 4th	80	105	49	81	122	24	130	95	77	135	24	87	118	28	87	121	21
Briarcreek	38	95	90	60	111	39	120	99	56	145	17	64	112	24	62	115	26
Catawissa Township	28	50	8	29	55	1	31	54	20	57		28	54	2	29	56	..
Catawissa Borough	117	123	93	143	152	36	144	166	140	168	26	150	149	30	152	153	28
Centralia, 1st	65	63	42	68	67	24	100	49	45	100	15	46	105	15	53	83	17
Centralia, 2nd	35	42	64	52	46	37	61	54	45	63	29	57	57	27	53	57	27
Center	43	83	50	56	99	21	85	84	41	123	12	57	99	16	54	97	21
Cleveland	6	38	37	9	45	27	14	51	14	58	13	15	51	14	15	52	13
Conyngham, E. N.	29	59	29	32	71	11	74	43	29	91	1	32	69	6	35	74	7
" W. N.	13	8	41	23	17	19	42	14	31	19	8	37	11	10	37	20	8
" W.	27	16	1	30	16	3	41	5	28	19	2	16	32	1	30	16	1
" S. W.	28	14	4	32	15	..	39	17	31	16	..	31	16	..	30	17	..
" S. E.	19	38	1	31	36	..	32	29	22	37	..	12	49	..	23	36	..
Fishingcreek, E.	22	90	20	21	100	10	33	93	16	106	9	21	97	12	25	96	11
Fishingcreek, W.	6	94	9	6	97	6	10	95	99	6	4	6	9.	4	7	98	4
Franklin	16	30	20	23	37	6	24	39	23	40	3	25	36	5	24	38	4
Greenwood, E.	37	88	55	48	107	22	62	106	19	151	11	43	107	24	44	109	25
Greenwood, W.	27	41	43	27	50	31	45	56	16	82	15	30	53	25	31	50	26
Hemlock	21	54	31	27	69	12	53	49	30	69	10	29	70	9	35	66	9
Jackson	14	93	21	16	101	10	29	90	12	102	16	15	102	10	16	98	16
Locust	40	84	24	43	96	8	46	95	45	97	7	46	92	9	45	94	8
Madison	68	40	26	92	29	31	59	73	58	80	19	73	51	25	72	52	25
Main	13	116	8	13	121	3	16	116	13	123	1	13	117	1	13	11	91
Mifflin	32	127	25	35	134	11	49	150	37	141	4	40	134	5	37	136	5
Millville	38	26	59	49	40	32	58	37	35	60	28	43	40	37	48	41	31
Montour	21	55	19	23	60	11	35	56	32	64	9	21	59	11	22	61	12
Mt. Pleasant	31	44	20	34	46	13	49	37	30	57	9	37	47	10	38	43	11
Orange	45	83	68	53	104	28	91	100	41	143	12	55	106	21	54	109	25
Pine, N.	15	32	15	15	33	15	16	35	13	40	8	15	34	11	15	34	10
Pine S.	17	38	9	19	41	4	23	40	21	41	2	21	37	3	22	38	3
Roaringcreek	28	39	7	29	41	4	29	42	29	41	4	29	41	4	29	42	3
Scott, E.	55	50	67	74	61	26	112	45	59	92	17	73	65	21	74	64	25
Scott, W.	32	29	54	37	43	31	61	33	31	63	21	43	41	25	39	39	33
Sugarloaf, N.	30	84	19	32	89	11	31	96	30	93	11	31	89	10	26	99	9
Sugarloaf, S.	12	67	24	13	69	21	14	76	12	78	13	13	77	13	13	75	15
	1661	2850	1805	1976	3174	934	2988	2833	1944	3733	651	2064	3299	737	2092	2422	824

Centre cast 1 vote for E. E. Low for Jury Commissioner; Madison 1 vote for Lutz for Associate Judge.
Thomas, Socialist Labor, had 1 vote in each of the following districts: Centralia, 2nd, Conyngham, E. N., Conyngham, W., Madison.
Steelsmith, Liberty, had 1 vote each in Berwick, S. W. and Jackson.
Thompson, Independent, had the following votes: 2 in Benton Twp., 1 in Berwick, S. E., and 1 in Berwick, S. W.
Barnes, S. L., had 2 votes in Benton Twp. and Berwick, S. W., 1 in Berwick, S. E., Catawissa Bor., Centralia 2nd, Conyngham E. N., Hemlock, Madison.

ESPY'S LATEST.

Hallow'een, while celebrated in its usual noisy manner in this place, passed off very smoothly, inasmuch as very few serious depredations were committed. An early morning observer on our streets, however, might have noticed, here and there, a buggy turned upside down, or somebody's fence minus a gate, and not a few foot rugs, &c., swinging gently to the wind on nearby trees. Some of our business places had apparently changed their locations during the night, and an unlucky bicycle rider with a fractured wheel, would likely have stopped at Miss Parks' ice cream parlors for repairs, as a sign belonging to S. K. Worman, hanging upon the outside, stated that "Vulcanizing and General Repair Work" might be had here. The oyster sign of H. C. Waples had also taken a journey, and when last seen was standing in front of the home of Arthur Hartman. Several young men chancing to see the sign next day, developed a sudden appetite for oysters, and were much disappointed when inquiring at the latter place, to find that they were entirely out and would not have any in for several days.

C. R. Creveling spent Sunday in Plymouth among friends.

Miss Irene Fisher spent Sunday in town with her cousin, Mrs. Emma Shuman.

Misses Derr, Kunkle, Ritter, Kashner, and Mr. Humphrey, all of Bloomsburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Angle.

A happy crowd of young ladies and gentlemen from Lime Ridge, among whom were Misses Kate, Jessie and Lizzie Hartman, Bessie Hess. Messrs. Ray Hartman and Geo. Low, came to Espy in the renown "gospel wagon," hitched to Hartman's fiery steeds, on Sunday evening, and attended services in the M. E. church.

The Luther Alliance will hold a special service in the Lutheran church next Sabbath evening, in commemoration of the birth of Martin Luther.

Mr. M. Pettit and daughter, of Light Street, spent some time in town on Sunday.

Miss Blanche McKamey is visiting among relatives in Lewisburg.

Chas. Bomboy, one of Espy's popular young men, spent Saturday eve at Lime Ridge looking up old friends—and new ones.

A very pleasant Hallow'een party was held last Saturday eve at the home of one of our prominent townsmen, and although we were'nt there, we have it upon the authority of Mr. Harry Campbell, our genial and obliging school teacher, that the affair was a credit to the instigators, inasmuch as the decorations throughout the different rooms were fine, the delicacies very tasteful, and the amusements plenteous. There was a brilliant assemblage of Espy's "social lights" present, and everything passed off in true Hallow'een style. Harry, however, tells us that while he had a good time, all was not peaches and cream with him, as the concluding part of the program which he had mapped out entirely for his own recreation, was unceremoniously nipped in the bud, for just as he was singing "You're not so many, and I'm the only pebble, &c.," some ambitious youth stepped in and walked off with his fondest hopes. Harry told us himself, and as we have no authority to doubt his veracity, it must be so. Hard luck, "Cam" old boy.

Dr. E. A. Smith of Millersburg, and formerly of this place, visited Espy on legal business last week.

Matrimonial probabilities—C. R. Creveling, W. R. Grow, James Miller.

Parvin Grow and family of Berwick, visited relatives in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Bittenbender of Berwick, visited the former's parents last week.

The members of the Methodist Epworth League are preparing for the rendition of a temperance drama, entitled "Fruits of the Wine Cup," to be held in the near future.

Misses Delia Geisinger and Josephine McCollum attended the Hartman-Sloyer wedding at Berwick last week.

Wedding invitations have been flying thick and fast in our midst lately, and strange to say, nevertheless 'tis true, Berwick seems to play the star part in our matrimonial drama. We now mourn the loss of no less than four of our young men, and all have recently been enticed away by Berwick belles. Boys, go to Berwick!

NON-PREVARICATOR.

STRAY PARAGRAPHS.

—A handful is not always a full hand.

—In court there is a great deal in evidence.

—Women's ages are not always told in plain figures.

—The most universal thing we know of is all creation.

—You can't blame a woman on a tandem for talking back.

—The new crossing on Market Street is hard to find in rainy weather.

—Loafing on the corner of Market and Main Streets Sunday night should be broken up.

—The Friendship Fire Company worked nobly at the fire on Eighth Street Monday morning.

—If you want to get a nice puff from the editor, the best thing to do is to give him a good cigar.

—"If we were to tax brains" said the assessor, it wouldn't cost some men much to pay their taxes.

—The town was in darkness for a few hours Monday night, caused by some trouble at the electric light plant.

—The time for the change is slowly drawing near and people are beginning to wonder who will be the next postmaster.

—"Ease up Fitz" was a frequent remark during the reproduction of the Carson City fight at the Opera House Monday night.

—The reserve eleven of the University of Pennsylvania will meet the foot ball team of the Normal School at Athletic Field Monday.

—One of the Court house officials was greatly troubled on Monday. It was an unusually dark day, and almost impossible to get along without a light, but he had previously been informed by another person that burning gas in the day time was costing the county too much. Consequently he was obliged to get along without the light, or run the risk of having to pay for it out of his own pocket.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as an adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. ¼ the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers. 10-14-4td.

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Children's gray ribbed vests and pants, new line in sizes from 16 to 28, prices 13c to 20c ea.
Aluminum hair pins, 5, 10, 15c doz.
Side combs, 4, 5, 8, 10c pair.
No. 8 and 9 wash boilers with cover, 48c ea.
Tar soap, 10c box of 3 cakes.
Cuticle toilet soap, very fine, 8c cake.
Sterling silver thimbles, 15c.
Aluminum thimbles, 1c ea.
Mourning pins, 6 boxes for 5c
Turkey red table damask with green figures, 25c per yd.
Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 5c ea.
Ladies' Capes, 1.75, 2.50, 2.98, to $10.00 each.
Umbrellas, 48, 60, 75, 98c ea.
Chenille table covers, 30, 69, $1.00 ea.
Buggy whips, 8, 10, 16, 25c ea.

New line of White Granite dishes in this week, prices lower than ever. Call to see them.

Our Line of Decorated China is not excelled in the Town, and the prices are adjusted to our well known low standard.

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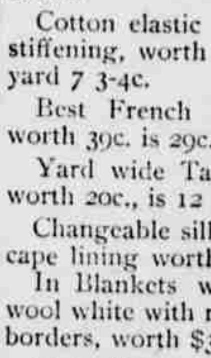

JONAS LONG'S SONS' WEEKLY CHATS.

WILKES-BARRE, PA.,
November 4th, 1897.

The satisfaction of dealing at an up-to-date trading center is accorded you at Wilkes-Barre's Big Store. We do not ask you to buy blindly. We'd feel better if you use your knowledge and compare our stock with what is shown elsewhere. Take as an example our selections of Silks, Dress Goods, Ladies' Capes, Jackets, Tailor made Suits, Millinery, Linens, Shoes, Hosiery, Boys' Clothing, Domestic Goods, House Furnishings, China and Carpets. They haven't a superior in the State. The stocks are large and varied and we are unusually moderate in our prices. We are always pleased to have you with us. You have the freedom of the store. Make it your headquarters.

In silks we are showing a beautiful assortment of evening shades in Gauze Net for over drapery and fancy waists in cream, white, cardinal, ecru, pink, Nile and light blue with gold and silver effects. This fabric is 45 inches wide, 2 yards make a waist or 7 yards a complete costume, at the yard 44c.

My Queen Vel Vel is the queen of velvet, 24 inches wide and will wear like iron; 4 yards of this exquisite fabric in any shade will make a Russian Blouse, the most popular garment of the season. The yard 89c. Regularly sold in the cities at $1.00.

SHAWLS. We've just received a handsomely selected stock of Black Cashmere and Drap de Eto shawls, single and double. Even the cheapest have double knotted fringe woven from the goods. They are made of all pure llama wool and are perfect wonders of low price conceptions. From $2.50 for a good one up to $12.00 for the very best.

A new assortment of all wool Cheviots and Novelty Dress Goods in rich colorings, usually retailed at 39c., our price is 25c.

Eiderdown cloth, best quality, all shades, for sacques dressing sacques, children's coats, etc., full double width at 47c.

Our new coloring in 47-inch Wheelwear Coverts, the best wearing material on the market, correct for young ladies' street costumes, is per yard 75c.

In Dress Linings our stock is complete. Dressmakers say they can obtain anything they want here, something impossible at other stores.

Cotton elastic canvas for skirt stiffening, worth 12 1-2c., is per yard 7 3-4c.

Best French Haircloth, black worth 39c. is 29c.

Yard wide Taffeta skirt lining, worth 20c., is 12 1-2c.

Changeable silk finish coat and cape lining worth 37 1-2c., is 25c.

In Blankets we offer 10-4 all wool white with red, blue and pink borders, worth $3.50, at $2.75.

11-4 Eastern wove Blankets, gray with fancy border, taped edge, short knap, weight 6 pounds, worth $2.00, at $1.39.

You ought to see the Flannel Waists we've on sale, they are so comfortable. Just the garment for coolish days. Price is reasonable. 98c., $1.25, $1.75 and $2.25.

Fine French Flannel Waists at $3.25.

Elegant silk and satin Waists at $4.95.

Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, 85c., $1.15 and $2.95.

Fur Neck Scarfs at 98c., $1.50 and up to $3.75.

Handsome Fur Collarettes, $3.98 and $6.50.

Ladies' Fur Trimmed Cloth Capes, $2.95 and $3.50.

Ladies' Beaver and Melton Jackets, $3.48 and $4.95.

Ladies', Kersey Jackets, storm collars, $6.50 and $7.90.

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AWARD LIST.

Premiums awarded at the forty-third annual Fair of the Columbia County Agricultural, Horticultural and Mechanical Association, held at Bloomsburg, Oct. 14, 15 and 16, 1897.

Premiums will be paid at the office of A. N. Yost, Secretary on and after November 10, 1897.

CLASS I. REGISTERED HORSES.

DIVISION 1.—Heavy Draught.

Stallion over 4 years, A. H. Dugan	$12 00
Second, D. H. Maust	8 00

DIVISION 2—French Coach

Stallion over 4 years French Coach Horse Company	12 00
Second C. Kreamer	8 00

DIVISION 3—Trotting Breed.

Stallion over 4 years, C. M Barlow	12 00
Second, S. J. Faux	8 00
Mare over 4 years, H. W. Hess	8 00
Mare between 2 & 4 years H. W. Hess	6 00

CLASS II.—HEAVY DRAUGHT GRADES.

Stallion over 4 years, C. Kramer	8 00
Stallion between 3 and 4 Raymond Breisch	5 00
Draught Team, G. W. Kitchen	5 00
Second, Harman & Hassert	3 00
Brood Mare and Foal H. L. Vanderslice	6 00

DIVISION 2.—General Purpose Horses Grades.

Stallion over 4 years	5 00
Mare or Gelding between 3 and 4, A. C. Creasy	5 00
Second, S. J. Faux	3 00
Mare or gelding between 2 and 3, C. H. Dildine	4 00
Second, H. J. Miller	2 00
Colt between 1 and 2 years, Thomas Mordan	4 00
Colt under 10 months, Taylor Beagle	3 00
Second, O. A. Henrie	2 00
Brood mare and foal, D. H. Maust	6 00
Second, S. J. Faux	4 00
Driving team, G. H. Welliver	5 00
Second, J. P. Welsh	3 00
Single Driving Horse, John B. Hunt	4 00
Second, F. H. Ringrose	2 00
Saddle horse, Rush Creasy	3 00
Fair matched colts under 4 broken, L. Myers	3 00
Driving or riding pony, Frank P. Ever	2 00
Mule colt, K. C. Ikeler	3 00

CLASS III.—REGISTERED.

DIVISION 3.—Holstein.

Cow over 2 years, B. H. Creveling	4 00
Heifer between 1 and 2 years, B. H. Creveling	4 00

DIVISION 5—Polled Angus.

Bull, J. W. Bowman	4 00

CLASS IV.—REGISTERED.

DIVISION 1.—Jerseys.

Cow over 2 years, H. W. Hess	8 00
Second,	4 00
Heifer between 1 and 2 yrs, H. W. Hess	4 00
Second, H. W. Hess	2 00
Herd	25 00

DIVISION 2.—Guernseys.

Bull over two years, J. W. Bowman	4 00
Cow " " " "	4 00
Heifer between 1 and 2 yrs, J. P. Welsh	4 00
Second, J. W. Bowman	2 00
Calf under 12 months, J. P. Welsh	2 00
Second,	1 00
Herd. " "	25 00

CLASS V.—GRADED CATTLE.

DIVISION 1.—Short Horn Durham.

Cow over 2 years, C. M. Creveling	6 00
Second, Samuel Hidley	4 00

DIVISION 2.—Devons.

Heifer between 1 and 2 yrs, I. B. Ikeler	4 00

DIVISION 3.—Holstein.

Cow over 2 years, Frank Nagle	6 00
Second, C. H. Dildine	4 00
Heifer between 1 and 2 years, B. H. Creveling	4 00
Second, F. H. Creueling	2 00
Bull calf under 12 months, C. E. Drum	2 00
Second, H. J. Miller	1 00

DIVISION 4.—Herefords.

Cow over 2 years, D. L. Gruber	6 00
Heifer between 1 & 2 yrs. D. L. Gruber	4 00

DIVISION 5.—Red Polled.

Cow between 2 and 3 yrs, I. B. Ikeler	4 00

CLASS VI.

DIVISION 1.—Jersey Graded.

Cow over 2 years, Ellis Ringrose	6 00
Second, H. J. Miller	4 00
Heifer between 1 and 2 years, Frank Nagle	4 00
Second, H. W. Hess	2 00
Calf under 12 months G. A. Ivey	2 00
Second, H. J Miller	1 00

DIVISIONS 2.—Guernseys Graded.

Cow over 2 years, J. Pursel	6 00
Second, I. B. Ikeler	4 00
Heifer between 1 & 2 yrs., C. H. Dildine	4 00

CLASS VII.—REGISTERED SHEEP SHROPSHIRES.

Buck and Ewe, Emmet Creasy	6 00
Second, Clarence Creasy	4 00
Lot Lambs, Emmet Creasy	5 00
Second, Clarence Creasy	3 00

CLASS VIII.—GRADED MIDDLE WOOLS.

Pair Buck and Ewe, Thomas Mordan	4 00
Second, Alfred Heacock	2 00
Lot Lambs, Thomas Mordan	3 00
Second, I. B. Ikeler	2 00

LONG WOOLS.

Lot Lambs I. B. Ikeler	3 00

CLASS IX.—REGISTERED SWINE.

DIVISION 1 Jersey red.

Sow under 1 year, H. W. Hess	4 00
Second " "	2 00

BERKSHIRES.

Boar over 1 year. G. W. Kitchen	5 00
" under 1 yr. " "	4 00
Second, " "	2 00
Sow over 1 year. " "	5 00
Second, " "	3 00
Sow under 1 year " "	4 00
Second, " "	2 00
Litter pigs. " "	5 00
Second, " "	3 00

CHESTER WHITES.

Boar over 1 year, P. K. Patterson	5 00
" under 1 yr. " "	4 00
Second, " "	2 00
Sow over 1 year " "	5 00
Second, " "	3 00
Sow under 1 year " "	4 00
Second, C. H. Dildine	2 00
Litter pigs, P. K. Patterson	5 00
Second, "	3 00

POLAND CHINA.

Boar over 1 year, P. K. Patterson	5 00
Second, A. L Hutchins	3 00
Boar under 1 year, A. L. Hutchins	4 00
Second, P. K. Patterson	2 00
Sow over 1 year, A. L. Hutchins	5 00
Second, P. K. Patterson	3 00
Sow under 1 year, A. L. Hutchins	4 00
Second, A. L. Hutchins	2 00
Litter Pigs, P. K. Patterson	5 00
Second, C. H. Dildine	3 00

O. I. C. WHITE.

Boar over 1 year, P. K. Patterson	5 00
Second, J. K. Bittenbender	3 00
Sow over 1 year, P. K. Patterson	5 00
Second, "	3 00
Boar under 1 year, "	4 00
Second, "	2 00
Sow under 1 year, "	4 00
Second, "	2 00
Litter Pigs. "	5 00

GRADED SWINE.

Boar over 1 year, Alfred Heacock	4 00
Second, Andrew Creveling	2 00
Sow over 1 year. Elmer Hagenbuch	3 00
" " H. W. Hess	2 00
Litter of pigs. H. D. Hidlay	4 00
Second. C. E. Drum	2 00

CLASS X.—FOWLS.

Blue Andalusion fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Blue Andalusion chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	50

BANTAMS.

R. C. Pit game fowls, J. S. Noblet	00
R. C. Pit game chicks, " "	1 00
R. C. Pit Second " "	50
Yellow neck R. C. Pit game chicks J. S Noblet	1 00
B. B. game fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Game fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Game chicks, J. Arthur Eves	1 00
Golden sebright fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. S Noblet	50
Silver sebright fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Black cochin fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Buff cochin fowls, " "	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Buff cochin chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Buff Pekin fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. Arthur Eves	50
Buff Pekin chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Common chicks, Keller Albert	1 00
Second Keller Albert	50
Hen and chicks, Willie Peacock	1 00
Dark Brahma fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Light Brahma Fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, " "	50
Light Brahma chicks, F. L. Landon	1 00
Second, " "	50
Buff cochin fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, Frank Edgar	50
Buff cochin chick, Frank Edgar	1 00
Second,	50
Partridge cochin fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Partridge cochin chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second,	50
White cochin fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
White cochin chicks " "	1 00
Dominique fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Dominique chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Cuban Dominique chicks, J. H. Shultz	1 00
Silver gray Dorkins fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
White Dorkin fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second,	50
Frizzle Dorkin fowls " "	1 00

GAMES.

Black fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Black Sumatra fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
B. B. Red fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
B. B. Red chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Brown Red fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Brown Red chicks, Frank Edgar	1 00
Cornish Indian fowls, R. C. Welliver	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Cornish Indian chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Silliver duckwing fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
English red chicks, J. H. Shultz	1 00
Assels fowls.	1 00
Spangled Grist, Silas Chamberlain	1 00
Grady shaw neck Grist fowls, Silas Chamberlin	1 00
Grady shawl neck Grist chicks, Silas Chamberlin	1 00
Champion shaw neck Grist fowls, Silas Chamberlin	1 00
Shamrock fowls, Frank Edgar	50
" chicks " "	50
Irish Muff chicks, J. H. Shultz	1 00
Derby chicks, Frank Edgar	1 00
Second, J. H. Shultz	50
Heathwood chicks, Frank Edgar	1 00
Black Hennie chicks, J. H. Shultz	1 00
Brown Hennie chicks, " "	1 00
White Hackle fowls, " "	1 00
" " chicks, " "	1 00
Blue pit fowls, " "	1 00
Smoke balls fowls, " "	1 00

HAMBURGS.

Black fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, " "	50
Black chicks, " "	1 00
G. Penciled fowls, " "	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
G. Spangled fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
S. Penciled fowls, " "	1 00
Second, " "	50
S. Spangled fowls, Ray Sharpless	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
S. Spangled chicks, F. L. Landon	1 00
Second, F. L. Landon	50
White fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
White chicks, " "	1 00
Houdan fowls, " "	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Houdan chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50

JAVAS.

Black fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Black chicks, " "	1 00
Mottled fowls " "	1 00
Second, " "	50
Mottled chicks, " "	1 00
White fowls, " "	1 00
Second, " "	50

LANGSHAN.

Black fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Black chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
White fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00

LEGHORNS.

Black fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Black chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Brown fowls, Silas Chamberlain	1 00
Second, Mrs. C. Kreamer	50
Brown chicks, Fred B. Brobst	1 00
Second, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
R. C. Brown fowls, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
R. C. Brown chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, Mrs. H. C. Barton	50
Buff Leghorns fowls Mrs. W. W. Boone	50
Dominique fowl, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
S. C. White fowls, F. L. Landon	1 00
Second, Ray Sharpless	50
S. C. White chicks, F. L. Landon	1 00
Second, F. L. Landon	50
R. C. White fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, Frank Edgar	50
R. C. White chicks, Frank Edgar	1 00
SeCond, F. R. Terwilliger	50

MINORCAS.

Black fowls, G. B. Smith	1 00
Second, Harry Eshleman	50
Black chicks, G. B. Smith	1 00
Second,	50
White fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second " "	50

PLYMOUTH ROCKS.

Buff fowls, F.R. Terwilliger	1 00
P. C. barred chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Barred fowls,	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Barred chicks, J. Arthur Eves	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
White fowls J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second.	50
White chicks, F. L. Landon	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50

POLISH.

B. Golden fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
B. Golden chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
B. Silver fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
B. Silver chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
B. White fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Buff Laced chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Golden fowl, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
Golden chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Silver fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Silver chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
White fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, J. S. Noblet	50
White chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
W. C. Black fowls " "	1 00
W. C. Black chicks, F. L. Landon	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Red Cap fowls F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, F. R. Terwilliger	50
Red Cap chick, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Rumpless fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
W. F. Black Spanish fowls F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
W. F. Black Spanish chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00

WYANDOTS.

Buff fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Buff chicks, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Golden chicks, J. S. Noblet	1 00
Second.	50
Silver fowls, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
White, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second. J. S. Noblet	50

DUCKS.

Aylesbury, F. R. Terwilliger	1 00
Second, " "	50
Colored Muscovey, Mrs. W. W. Barret	1 00
Pekin, Harry Eshleman	1 00
Second,	50
Rowen, C. Kreamer	1 00
White Muscovey, Mrs. W. W. Barret	1 00
Common, Andrew Creveling	1 00
Second, T. U. Sweppenhiser	50

GEESE.

Brown Chinese, Elmer Hagenbuch	1 00
Toulouse, C. Kreamer	1 00
Second, Geo. K. Hess	50
Hong Kong, Clara H Deffenbach	1 00
Native, Rutter J. Hagenbuch	1 00

TURKEYS.

Bronze, F. H. Hagenbuch	1 50
Second, Rutter J. Hagenbuch	75
White, Mrs. Joseph Weiss	1 50
Guineas, C. Kreamer	1 00
Second, Clara Vandersilce	50
Pigeon display, S. W. Hennis	2 00
Second, Frank Edgar	1 00
Ring Dove, Howard Buck	50
Opossum, Ray Gruber	50
Second, B. H. Creveling	25

CLASS XI.—GRAIN SEED AND FLOUR.

Buckwheat flour, R. G. Ikeler	1 00
Graham flour, " "	1 00

SEEDS.

Mustard, Mrs. Nevin Ale	25
Second, Mrs. Geo. W. Hess	15
Clover, H. L. Vandersilce	1 00
Second, H. J. Miller	50
Celery, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	25
Second, Mrs. Henry Angle	15
Radish, Mrs. E. B. Hess	25
Second, Mrs. L. Melick	15
Flax Seed, Mrs. W. M. Achenbach	50
Second, Thomas Mordan	25
Timothy, Samuel Giger	1 00
Second, W. M. Achenbach	50
Nasturtion, Mrs. E. B. Hess	25
Parsnip, Mrs. E. B. Hess	25
Pumpkin, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	25
Second, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	15
Sunflower, Mrs. W. M. Achenbach	25
Onion, Mrs. T. U. Sweppenheiser	25
Cucumbers, Mrs. Geo. W. Hess	15

WHEAT.

Fulcaster, C. Kreamer	1 00
Second, J. P. Welsh	50
Mediterranian, R. G. Ikeler	1 00
Second, Asa Deily	50
Red Clossen, Freas C. Kistler	1 00
Second, C. E. Drum	50
Russel, Mary C. Kline	1 00
Second, C. H. Dildine	50
Nigger, R. G. Ikeler	1 00
Second, Freas C. Kistler	50
Campbell, Geo. K. Hess	1 00
Centennial, C. H. Kelchner	1 00
Forty Fold, J. P. Welsh	1 00
Jones Winter Fife, J. P. Welsh	
Gold Coin " "	1 00
Rochester, " "	25
Zella Valley, C. E. Drum	1 00
Second, Moore Demott	50
Franklin, Joseph Carl	1 00
Rocky Mountain, Joseph Carl	1 00
Buckwheat, R. G. Ikeler	50
Second, Asa Deily	25
Rye, Joseph Carl	75
Second, Thos. J. Hoffman	50
Oats, Asa Deily	50
Second, C. Kreamer	25

CORN.

Yellow, E. L. Lemon	75
Second, C. H. Kelchner	50
White Cob Gourd, W. S. Jackson	75
Second, Samuel Giger	50
Red Cob Gourd, D. L. Gruver	75
Second, David Stroup	50
Egyptian, C. H. Dildine	50
Early Dent, E. L. Lemon	75
Second, C. H. Dildine	50
Sweet, Joseph Carl	50
Second, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	25
Pop, A. G. Berlingame	50
Second, Miss Ada Hess	25
Smoke, H. L. Vanderslice	50
King Phillip, S. W. Jackson	50
Yellow Gourd, Asa Deily	75
Second, Freas C. Kistler	50
Mastodon, Elmer W. Hagenbuch	50
Jumbo, J. K. Bittenbender	50
White Cob Dent, A. G. Berlingame	50
Hirleman, E. L. Lemon	50

CLASS XII.—POTATOES, VEGETABLES, &C.

POTATOES.

Burbank, B. H. Creveling	75
White Star, Ed. Creasy	75
Rose of Erin, D. Stroup	75
Second, J. W. Bowman	50
Rural New Yorker, Mrs. R. Kitchen	75
Second, I. H. Creveling	50
Beauty of Hebron, Asy Deily	75
Victor, H. J. Miller	75
Second, Asa Deily	50
Early Fortune, N. Richart	75
Second, Asa Deily	50
Sweet, Asa Deily	75
Second, Wm. P. Vanderslice	50
White Seedling, H. J. Miller	75
Second, C. E. Drum	50
Lake Pride, L. H. Creveling	50
Pink Eye, T. J. Hoffman	50
American Wonder, Wm. Abbott	75
Second, E. L. Lemon	50
Late Rose, R. Kitchen	75
Sir William, Asa Deily	50
Carman No. 3, Asa Deily	50
Longstones Banner, Asa Deily	50
Irish Daisy, Asa Deily	50
Mills Prize, Asa Deily	50
World's Fair, Asa Deily	50
Early Michigan, Asa Deily	50
Early Northern, Asa Deily	50
Mills Endurance, Asa Deily	50
Chestnut, J. H. Creveling	50
Rupert's Early, Andrew Creveling	50
Adirondac, Andrew Creveling	50
Mammoth, D. S. Gromps	50
Fema's Blue's, Simon Shives	50
Pride of Oregon, W. H. Neyhard	75
Second, Anna Bellas	50
Maule's Early, W. H. Neyhard	50
Maggie Murphy, J. K. Bittenbender	50
Peerless, Samuel Gigger	50
Maule's Thoroughbred, J. W. Bowman	50
Green Mountain E. Y. Sweppenheiser	50
Bliss Triumph, Samuel Gigger	50

VEGETABLES.

Tomatoes, Wm. Abbott	50
Celery, Wm. Abbott	50
Soup Beans, Mrs. W. H. Neyhard	50
Radishes, Miss Ada Hess	50
Lima Beans, W. H. Lazarus	50
Cucumbers, Merton Bundy	50
Bunch or String Beans, Mrs. E. B Hess	50
Onion Setts, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	50
Pole Beans Mrs. S. W. Jackson	50
Onions, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	50
Peppers, Mrs. W. H. Neyhard	50
Butter Beans, Rosa Melick	50
Beets, Mrs. D. Stroup	50
Garlic, Mrs. L. Melick	25
Coffee Berry, S. W. Jackson	25
Birds Eggs, Mrs. Nevin Ale	25
Endiva, Mrs. N. Richart	25
Cabbage, Mrs. David Stroup	50
Turnips, Mrs. Geo. W. Hess	50
Carrots, Mrs. W. M. Achenbuch	50
Parsnips, D. A. Gramps	50
Sage, Mrs. W. M. Achenbach	25
Hops, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	25
Egg Plant, Ed. Creasy	50
Kale, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	25
Parsley, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	25
Lettuce " "	25
Tree Beans, Cora Hagenbuck	35
Fire Beans, Mrs. J. S. Hagenbuch	35
Mango, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	50
Rutabaga, Mrs. A. B. Hartman	35
Peanuts, Taylor Beagle	30
Cauliflower, Mrs. Joseph Weiss	50
Kale Rubi, Pearl Weiss	40
Citron, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	35
Cantaloupe, Wm. Abbot	50
Peas, S. G. Bryfogle	50
Collection Beans, J. K. Bittenbender	25
Water Melon, Mrs. W. H. Neyhard	50
Gourd, Rosa Melisk	30
Field Pumpkins, J. K. Bittenbender	50
Second, Mrs. Martha Vandersilce	25
Squash, Mrs. Henry Lehman	50
Second, Wm. Abbott	25
Sweet Pumpkin, Thomas Trump	50
Second, David Stroup	25

CLASS XIII.—FRUIT.

APPLES.

Baldwin, Samuel Hidlay	50
Second, Samuel Knorr	25
R. I. Greenings, Thomas Trump	50
Second, C. E. Drum	25
Smokehouse, Joseph Carl	50
Second, Samuel Knorr	25
Fallawalter, Freas C. Kistler	50
Second, Chas. Coffman	25
Northern Spg, Mrs. W. W. Barrett	50
Second, Jno. Wamphole	25
Langfords Seedling, Phillip Harris	50
Doctor " "	50
Bright Paul Achenbach	50
Foster Sweet, H. J. Miller	50
Strawberry, " "	50
Crouse, " "	50
Fanreuse, " "	50
Red Pipin, Mrs. Geo. W. Hess	50
Hubbard Nonsuch, B. H. Creveling	50
Seek no Further, Chas. Coffman	50
Second, Asa Deily	25
Golden Russet, Agnes Kitchen	50
Second, Nathan Miller	25
Roxbury Russet, Simon Shives	50
Second, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	25
Coleman, Mrs. M. Hartman	50
Laubach, Mrs. B. A. Hartman	50
Second, Mrs. M. Hartman	25
Gillflower, Mrs. Nevin Ale	50
Second, Phillip Harris	25
Sweet Pumpkin, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
20 ounce, " "	50
Second, Mrs. James Gulliver	25
Meadow, Asa Deily	50
Wenteware, Asa Deily	50
Rambo, Mrs. Nevin Ale	50
Second, W. H. Englehart	25
Eng. Rambo, Chas. Coffman	50
Second, Samuel Giger	25
Bellflower, Nathan Miller	50
Second, Paul Achenbach	25
Fall Pipin, E. L. Lemon	50
York Imperial, Freas C. Kistler	50
Second, Geo. H. Shellhammer	25
Sheepnose, Chas. Coffman	50
Second, H. L. Vanderslice	25
Wagner, Mrs. T. W. Gunton	50
Furhman Pipin, Mrs. Harry Fornwald	50
Winter Pipin, Ellis Ringrose	50
Second, William Abbott	25
Pound, Mrs. B. A. Hartman	50
Wine Sap, Mrs. Nevin Ale	50
Second, B. H. Creveling	25
Ben Davis, Joseph Carl	50
Second, H. J. Miller	25
Smith's Cider, Mrs. James Gulliver	50
Second, Phillip Harris	25
Benjamite, Samuel Gigger	50
Spitzenburger, Mrs. Jno. E. Welliver	50
Major, Mrs. James Gulliver	50
Dutchess of Edinburg, James Gulliver	50
Maiden Blush, Joseph Carl	50
Second, H. J. Miller	25
Crab, C. H. Kelchner	25
King, Simon Shives	50
Second, D. L. Gruber	25
Winter Blush, Geo. H. Shellhammer	50
Second, Joseph Carl	25
Northern Superior, Mrs. M. Hartman	50
Stark, M. M. Hartzel	50

PEACHES.

Reeves Favorite, F. H. Hagenbuch	25
Yellow, Mrs. M. Hartman	50

PEARS.

Wakefield, Wm. Abbott	25
Rusticoat, Mrs. M. Hartman	50
Second, Chas. Coffman	25
Lacoute, Phillip Harris	50
Winter, W. H. Englehart	25
Second, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	50
Angeline, Pearl Weiss	50
Howell, C. A. Melick	50
Kirkland, Mrs. James Gulliver	50
Boone, Rosa Melick	50
Fuhrman, Mrs. Harry Fornwald	50
Keifer, H. J. Miller	50
Second, Mrs. W. C. Heckman	25
Sekel, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	50
Second, H. L. Vanderslice	25
Flemish Beauty, Mrs. M. R. Geisinger	50
Dutchess Della Geisinger	50
California, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Lawrence, Mrs. Joseph Weiss	50
Second, Phillip Harris	25

GRAPES.

Catawba, H. L. Vanderslice	50
Second, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	25
Concord, Mrs. Martha Vanderslice	50
White, Paul Achenbach	25
Niagara, Mrs. Taylor Ruckle	50
Second, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	25
Frost, Mrs. Isaiah Kline	25
Brighton, Mrs. W. W. Barret	50
Wilson, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	50

QUINCES.

Mrs. Taylor Ruckle	50
Second, Mrs. B. F. Gilmore	25
Strawberries, Mrs. Rush Hess	25

CLASS—XIV.—DRIED FRUIT.

Apple, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	50
Peaches, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Raspberries, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Cherries, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	50
Corn, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Hops, Mrs. Samuel Miller	25
Grapes, Rosa Melick	15
Pears, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Pitted Cherries, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	50
Currants, Mrs. L. Melick	25
Elderberries, Mrs. L. Melick	15
Wild Cherries, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	25
Whortleberries, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Pumpkin, Mrs. B. A. Hartman	25
Quinces, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Dewberries, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Crabapples, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	50
Wine Plant, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	15
Tomato Figs, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	25
Mulberries, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	15
Tomatoes, Mrs. M. Hartman	25
Choke Cherries, Mrs. H. L. Vanderslice	15
Ground Cherries, Mrs. M. Hartman	15
Plums, Mrs. Wm. Johnson	25
Beans, Mrs. W. B. Pennington	25

NUTS.

Walnuts, Theo Hagenbuch	25
Hickorynuts, " "	25
Hazlenuts, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
English Walnuts, Vida Miller	25

CLASS XV.

BUTTER, CHEESE, HAM, HONEY, ETC.

Roll Butter, Mrs D L Gruber	$ 1 50
Second, " C H Dildine	75
Creamery Butter, A C Creasy	1 00
Buckwheat Honey, Mrs Wm J Hidlay	1 00
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Extract Honey, Clara Vanderslice	50
Saratoga Chips Mrs C C Ammerman	25
Electric Yeast, " W M Achenbach	25
Yeast, " Geo F Kindt	25
Second " W H Neyhard	15
Cheese, " E L Lemon	25
Bees Wax, Agnes B Hidlay	50
Second, Paul Achenbach	25
Sausage, Mrs B A Hartman	25
Second, " M Hartman	15
Pop Corn, " E B Hess	15
Horse Radish, "	15
Spare Ribs, Mrs D S Gramps	25
Second, " W M Achenbach	15
Mince Meat, "	25
Second, " Geo F Kindt	15
Tenderloin, "	25
Second, " E L Lemon	15
Cottage Cheese, Mrs R Kitchen	15
Lard, "	15
Second, " Isaiah Kline	25
Ham, " M Hartman	50
Second, " R Kitchen	25
Side Meat, " W B Pennington	15
Needles, " D S Gramps	15
Baked Beans, " Ellis Cox	15
Worst, " E B Hess	15
Bean Sauce, " Anna Bellas	15
Candies, " E L Lemon	25
Second, " W B Pennington	15
Soft Soap, " Geo F Kindt	25
Hard Soap, " C C Ammerman	15
Second, " Sam'l Miller	25

VINEGARS.

Cider, Mrs W L Kelchner	50
Second, H J Miller	25
Wortleberry, Mrs Wm Wolf	25
Blackberry, " Moore Demott	25
Second, " M R Geisinger	15
Raspberry, " M S Worthington	25
Second, Delia Geisinger	15
Elderberry, Mrs R Kitchen	15
Cherry, " T W Sweppenheiser	15
White wine, Wm Abbott	15
Cured Cider, Mrs W B Pennington	25
Second, " W H Neyhard	15

CLASS XVI.

BREAD, PIES AND CAKES.

BREAD.

Wheat, Mrs D L Cromly	$ 2 00
Second, " H D Hidlay	1 00
Rye, " D S Gramps	1 00
Second, " Chas Hassert	50
Corn, " Martha Vanderslice	1 00
Second, " R A Delong	50
Graham, " E L Lemon	1 00
Second, " Moore Demott	50
Currant, Pearl Weiss	25
Buckwheat, Mrs C H Kelchner	25
Biscuit, " H L Vanderslice	25
Second, Lizzie Bomboy	15
Rolls, Mrs W C Heckman	25
Graham Jims, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Second, " D S Gramps	15
Zneiback, " Clara A Dieffenbach	25

CAKES.

Ginger, Mrs Isaih Kline	50
Second, " H D Hidlay	25
Sponge, " Laura Unger	50
Second, Clara Vanderslice	25
Cocoanut Mrs Harry Eshleman	50
Second, Anna I Creveling	25
Fruit, Mrs M S Worthington	1 00
Second, " A H Swisher	50
Chocolate, Miss Agnes B Hidlay	50
Second, Mrs H L Vanderslice	25
Cookies, Miss Bertha Shoemaker	50
Second, Mrs Nevin Ale	25
Jumbles, " R A DeLong	50
Second, " Laura Unger	25
Doughnuts, Mrs T U Sweppenheiser	50
Second, Mrs Ellis Cox	25
Ginger Snaps, Mrs T U Sweppenheiser	50
Second, Mrs Ellis Cox	25
Raisin, " C C Ammerman	50
Sugar, " "	50
Potato, " Laura Unger	50
Second, " R A DeLong	25
Spice, " Isaih Kline	50
Second, " W H Neyhard	25
Variety, Delia Geisinger	75
Orange, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Second, " Nevin Ale	25
Hickory Nut, Mrs William Wolf	50
Second, Miss Lou Creveling	25
Layer, Dora S Jury	50
Second, Mrs Henry Angle	25
Peanut, Clara Vanderslice	50
Pound, Mrs M S Worthington	50
Second, Clara Vanderslice	25
Cold Water, Mrs C H Kelchner	50
Egg Cake, " "	50
Prince of Wales, Mrs C H Kelchner	50
Wafers, Mrs M S Worthington	50
Delicate, Miss Laura Bundy	50
Angel Food, Ray Sharpless	50
French, Miss C A Melick	50
Gold, Ray Sharpless	50
Ice Cream, Mrs M S Worthington	50
Pork, " D S Gramps	50
Chocolate Marble Mrs W H Runyan	50
Kisses, Miss Bertha Shoemaker	25
Bread, " "	25
Jelly, Mrs Taylor Ruckle	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Tarts, " M S Worthington	50
Second, " Chas Hassert	25
Ribbon, " Moore Demott	50
Banana, " M Hartman	50
Poor man's, Mrs M Hartman	25
Cinnamon Rolls, Mrs G P Frymire	25
Buns, Mrs W B Pennington	25
Coffee, " Fred Nagle	25
Cream Chocolate, Miss L V Lazarus	50

PIES.

Cherry, Mrs H L Vanderslice	50
Second, Laura Bundy	25
Raisin, Lizzie Bomboy	50
Second, Mrs H L Vanderslice	25
Mince, " M S Worthington	50
Second, " R Kitchen	25
Cream, " W L Kelchner	50
Peach, Clara Vanderslice	50
Second, Mrs Mary C Kline	25
Custard, Ada Hess	50
Second, Mrs C C Ammerman	25
Potato, Ada Hess	50
Sweet Potato, Ada Hess	50
Cora Starch, " "	50
Second, Mrs W L Kelchner	25
Pumpkin, " R A DeLong	50
Second, " W C Heckman	25
Cocoanut, " C C Ammerman	50
Second, Millie Kistler	25
Centennial, Bertha Shoemaker	50
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Apple, Clara Vanderslice	50
Second, Mrs T U Vanderslice	25
Lemon, " Chas Hassert	50
Second, " Hester Bomboy	25
Buttermilk, Mrs E L Lemon	50
Second, Lizzie Bomboy	25
Raspberry, Mrs Hester Bomboy	50
Apple Tart, Millie Kistler	50
Quince, " "	50
Second, Mrs Wm Wolf	25
Currant, " Chas Hassert	50
Second, " R Kitchen	25
Cheese, " Wm Wolf	50
Squash, " D Stroup	50
Second, " T U Sweppenheiser	25
Grape, " Nevin Ale	50
Tomato, " T U Sweppenheiser	50
Second, M R Geisinger	25
Dewberry, "	50
Cranberry, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Pear, " W B Pennington	50
Second, " Joseph Weiss	25
Apricot, Pearl Weiss	50
Sugar, Mrs W B Pennington	50
Prune, Bertha Shoemaker	50
Apple Butter, Mrs Taylor Ruckle	50
Second, " Ellis Cox	25
Blackberry H L Vanderslice	50
Crumb, Mrs M S Worthington	50
Green Gage, Pearl Weiss	50
Dutch, Mrs Nevin Ale	50
Coconut Custard, Millie Kistler	50
Green Tomato, Mrs T U Sweppenheiser	50
Second, Mrs M R Geisinger	25

CLASS XVII.

CANNED AND SPICED FRUIT AND PICKLES.

CANNED FRUIT.

Peaches, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Second Bertha Shoemaker	25
Pears, Mrs M R Geisinger	50
Second, " C C Ammerman	25
Quinces, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Pearl Weiss	25
Crabapples, Mrs Isaiah Kline	50
Second, " W B Pennington	25
Plums, " J E Wilson	50
Second, " Joseph Weiss	25
Apples, " H L Vanderslice	50
Second, " R Kitchen	25
Red Raspb'y, " M R Geisinger	50
Second, " H L Vanderslice	25
Black Raspberry, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs Moore Demott	25
Pineapple, Mrs Fred Nagle	50
Second, " W M Achenbach	25
Wortleberry, " Geo F Kindt	50
Second, " R Kitchen	25
Tomatoes, " "	50
Second, Agnes Kitchen	25
Black Cherries, Mrs W B Pennington	50
Sour Cherries, Laura Bundy	50
Second, Mrs W H Runyan	25
Elderberries, Mrs W M Achenbach	50
Second, Laura Bomboy	25
Grapes, Mrs B A Hartman	50
Second, Delia Geisinger	25
Blackberries, Mrs Wm Johnson	50
Second, " M R Geisinger	25
Dewberries, " M Hartman	50
Second, " B A Hartman	25
Currants, " Chas Whitenight	50
Second, " Clara Melick	25
Onions, " Mary C Kline	50
Sweet Cherries, Pearl Weiss	50
Second, Mrs Sam'l Miller	25
Yellow Spinach Cher's, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Second, Mrs Sam'l Miller	25
White Cherries, Mrs D L Cromley	50
Second, Paul Achenbach	25
Rhubarb, Mrs W M Achenbach	50
Second, " Sam'l Miller	25
Corn, " Wm Johnson	50
Second, " W M Achenbach	25
Gooseberries, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Second, C A Melick	25
Beans, Paul Achenbach	50
Second, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
Peas, " M R Geisinger	50
Second, " W M Achenbach	25
Pitted Cherries, Mrs Moore Demott	50
Cranberries, " R Kitchen	50
Second, " W B Pennington	25
Green Gages, Pearl Weiss	50
Mulberries, Paul Achenbach	25
Second, Mrs W B Pennington	15
June Berries, Mrs B A Hartman	25
Second, " M Hartman	15
Choke Cherries " W B Pennington	25
Pumpkin, "	25
Second, " Moore Demott	15
Oxheart, " G S Gramps	25
Strawberries, R E Parker	50
Second, Agnes Kitchen	25
Cucumbers, Bertha Shoemaker	25
Second, Mrs Ellis Cox	15
Apricots, " Francis W Hess	25
Dandeline, Carrie Hidley	25
Endive, "	25
Second, Edna Heckman	15

SPICED FRUIT.

Peaches, Mrs W M Achenbach	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Pears, " Fred Nagle	50
Second, " W L Kelchner	25
Quinces, Ada Hess	50
Second, Mrs W B Pennington	25
Crabapple, Mrs Fred Nagle	50
Second, " W B Pennington	25
Plums, " "	50
Apples, " Moore Demott	50
Second, " H L Vanderslice	25
Tomatoes, " N Richart	25
Cantaloupe, Ada Hess	25
Second Delia Geisinger	15
Cauliflower, Mrs Geo W Hess	25
Second, " B A Hartman	15
Watermelon, " Fred Nagle	25
Second, " C C Ammerman	15
Cranberries, " Laura Unger	10
Mulberries, Mrs W B Pennington	15
Second, " R M Geisinger	10
Cabbage, " Wm Wolf	10
Mango, " "	10
Cucumbers, " B A Hartman	25
Second, " M Hartman	15
Onions, " C H Kelchner	25
Whortleberries, Mrs Geo F Kindt	25
Elderberries, Delia Geisinger	25
Beans, Mrs B A Hartman	25
Second, " W M Achenbach	15
Celery, " B A Hartman	10
Blackberries, Mrs W B Pennington	10
Citron, " "	10
Wintergreen, " "	10
Carrots, " "	10
Strawberries, " Isa'h Kline	10
Kale, " Nevin Ale	10
Currants, " Moore Demott	10
Endive, " N Richart	10
Grapes, " Chas Hassert	10

PICKLES.

Cucumbers, Wm Abbott	50
Second, Mrs D Stroup	25
Chow Chow, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Second, Mrs Samuel Miller	25
Piccalilli, " Mary C Kindt	50
Second, " W H Englehart	25
Onions, " Moore Demott	50
Second, " J E Wilson	25
Cauliflower, Mrs B A Hartman	50
Second, Mrs Joseph Weiss	25
Tomatoes " Moore Demott	50
Second, " Samuel Miller	25
Mango " "	25
Nasturtium " "	25
Second, Mrs Laura Unger	15
Cabbage, " Nevin Ale	50
Second, Edna Heckman	25
Endive, " "	25
Second, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	15
Mixed, " W B Pennington	50
Second " Moore Demott	25
Ragout, " W C Heckman	50
Second, " Nevin Ale	25
Beets, " W M Achenbach	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Dented Eggs, Pearl Weiss	50
Second, Mrs Anna Bellas	25
East India Pickles, Mrs Geo F Kindt	10
Artichokes, Mrs W B Pennington	10
Peaches, " Moore Demott	25
Plums " Isaiah Kline	10
Ground Cherries, " "	10
Carrots, Mrs G S Gramps	10
Chowder, " W H. Runyan	10

CATSUPS.

Hot Tomato, Mrs T W Gunton	25
Second, " M S Worthington	15
Cold Tomato, Ada Hess	25
Second, Mrs M R Geisinger	15
Cucumber, " W B Pennington	25
Grape " "	25
Second, " Martha Vanderslice	15
Mango, " Mary C Kline	10
Plum, " Anna Bellas	15

SAUCE.

German, Mrs Isiah Kline	15
Crabapple, " W H Neyhard	10
Pepper, Wm Abbot	25
Second, Mrs Laura Unger	15
Chill, " Lizzie Bomboy	25
Second, " W B Pennington	15
Cucumber, Mrs Urbanus McBride	15
Tomato, " E B Hess	25
Second, " W B Pennington	15
Mint, " W M Achenbach	25
Second, " Nevin Ale	15
Grape, " W H Runyan	15
Cranberry, " W B Pennington	15

CLASS XVIII.

JELLIES, JAMS AND PRESERVES.

Quince, Mrs W B Pennington	50
Second, " Joseph Weiss	25
Apple, " F C Eyer	50
Second, " Isaiah Kline	25
Grape, " W H Runyan	50
Second, " Laura Unger	25
Plum, " B A Hartman	50
Second, " Laura Unger	25
Crabapple, Mrs Fred Nagle	50
Second, " H D Hidlay	25
Peach, " W B Pennington	50
Second, " Laura Unger	25
Elderberry, " Laura Bundy	50
Second, " Hester Bomboy	25
Pear, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs M R Geisinger	25
Strawberry, Mrs M Hartman	50
Second, " E L Lemon	25
Currant, " B A Hartman	50
Second, " Geo F Kindt	25
Blackberry, " Fred Nagle	50
Second, Agnes Kitchen	25
Rhubarb, " "	50
Second, Mrs Samuel Miller	25
Cherry, " Mary C Kline	50
Second, " Anna Bellas	25
Gooseberry, Ada Hess	50
Cantaloupe, " "	50
Tomato, Mrs B A Hartman	50
Second, " Isaiah Kline	25
Pineapple, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs W M Hartman	25
Wortleberry, Mrs Laura Unger	50
Second, " Wm Wolf	25
Cranberry, " R Kitchen	50
Second, " R A DeLong	25
Ground Cherry, Mrs Wm Wolf	50
Lemon, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Watermelon, "	50
Second, Mrs B A Hartman	25
Raspberry, Mrs M Hartman	50
Second, " Geo F Kindt	25
Apricot, Pearl Weiss	50
Mulberry, Mrs W B Pennington	50
Display of Jellies, Ira Cherrington	1 00
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	50

MARMALADES.

Quince, Mrs Fred Nagle	50
Second, Agnes Kitchen	25
Peach, Mrs W B Pennington	50
Second, " W M Achenbach	25
Tomato, " C C Ammerman	50
Orange, " "	50
Pineapple, Mrs Laura Unger	50
Second, " Wm Achenbach	25
Grape, " R A DeLong	50
Second, " Laura Unger	25
Cherry, " W M Achenbach	50
Pear, "	50
Second, " Nevin Ale	25
Cranberry, " B A Hartman	50
Second, " B F Gilmore	25
Crabapple, " W B Pennington	25

JAMS.

Strawberry, Mrs W H Englehart	50
Second, " Isaih Kline	25
Raspberry, " M R Geisinger	50
Second, " M Hartman	25
Blackberry, " B A Hartman	50
Second, " C C Ammerman	25
Tomato, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs Nevin Ale	25
Elderberry, Ada Hess	50
Second, Mrs Moore Demott	25
Cranberry, " R Kitchen	50
Second, " B A Hartman	25
Currant, " M Hartman	50
Second, " B A Hartman	25
Cherry, " Moore Demott	50
Second, " W M Achenbach	25
Wortleberry, Mrs Isaih Kline	50
Second, Mrs G F Kindt	24
Mulberry, " W B Pennington	25
Peach, " M R Geisinger	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Dewberry, " R Kitchen	25
Ground Cherry, Pearl Weiss	15
Pineapple, Mrs M Hartman	25
Grape, " F C Eyer	25
Apple, "	25
Plum, " Moore Demott	25
Green Gage, " "	25
Rhubarb, " "	25

PRESERVES.

Currants, Lena Bundy	50
Second, Mrs Nevin Ale	25
Peaches, " Wm Wolf	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Orange, " Mary C Kline	50
Second, " Isaiah Kline	25
Cherry, " R R John	50
Second, " T U Sweppenheiser	25
Watermelon, Mrs C C Ammerman	50
Second, " M Hartman	25
Quinces, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, C A Melick	25
Strawberry, Mrs M L Worthington	50
Second, " C C Ammerman	25
Pineapple, " T W Gunton	50
Second, " W M Achenbach	25
Pears, " Laura Unger	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Cranberries, " Laura Unger	50
Apples, " Moore Demott	50
Second, " R Kitchen	25
Plums, " Urbanus McBride	50
Second, " J E Wilson	25
Tomato, " T W Gunton	50
Second, Delia Geisinger	25
Raspberry, Mrs Fred Nagle	50
Second, " W H Runyan	25
Cantaloupe, Delia Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs M R Geisinger	25
Blackberry, Mrs B A Hartman	50
Second, Delia Geisinger	25
Goose Plum, Mrs M R Geisinger	50
Dewberry, " B A Hartman	50
Second, " M Hartman	25
Rhubarb, " B A Hartman	50
Ground Cherry W L Kelchner	25
Second, " B A Hartman	15
Gooseberry, Delia Geisinger	25
Mulberry, Mrs W B Pennington	25
Juneberry, " Geo W Hess	25
Crabapple, " Hester Bomboy	50
Second, " W H Neyhard	25
Orange Melon, Mrs Isaiah Kline	50
Citron, " "	50
Grape, Mrs F C Eyer	50
Teaberry, Mrs Nevin Ale	15
Apricot, " D F Stayman	25
Lemon, " Moore Demott	25
Wortleberry, Mrs M Hartman	25

BUTTERS.

Grape, Lena Bundy	50
Second, Mrs Moore Demott	25
Pear, " M R Geisinger	50
Second, " Moore Demott	25
Peach, Lena Bundy	50
Second, Mrs Moore Demott	25
Cherry, Mrs Anna Bellas	50
Second, Mrs W H Neyhard	25
Tomato, Pearl Weiss	50
Second, Mrs Laura Unger	25
Plum, Mrs Anna Bellas	50
Second, Mrs Moore Demott	25
Apple, Mrs W J Martin	50
Second, Mrs W H Englehart	25
Quinces, Lizzie Bomboy	50
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Crabapple, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Second, Mrs Isaiah Kline	25
Pineapple, Mrs W M Achenbach	50
Second, B A Hartman	25
Apricot, Mrs M R Geisinger	50
Second, Mrs Joseph Weiss	25
Strawberry, Mrs B A Hartman	25
Cranberry, " "	25
Blackberry, Mrs Wm Johnson	25
Elderberry, Mrs W B Pennington	25
Green Gage, Mrs Moore Demott	50
Second, Pearl Weiss	25
Lemon, Mrs Moore Demott	25
Raspberry, Mrs Wm Johnson	25
June cherry, Mrs Geo W Hess	15

SYRUPS.

May apple, Mrs Wm Wolf	15
Dandeline, " "	15
Grape, " "	15
Quince, Mrs W L Kelchner	25
Maple, Mrs W M Achenbach	50
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Sweetheart, Mrs W H Neyhard	25
Cider, Mrs Geo W Hess	25
Elderberry, "	50
Second, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
Peach, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Second, Mrs G W Hess	25
Pineapple, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
Pear, Mrs E L Lemon	50
Second, Mrs W H Runyon	25
Corncob, Mrs M A Rawlings	50
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Tomato, Mrs J E Wilson	25
Rhubarb, Delia Geisinger	25
Raspberry, Mrs Joseph Weiss	25
Crabapple, Mrs W H Neyhard	25
Cherry, Mrs W H Runyon	25
Juneberry, Mrs Geo W Hess	25
Maple Sugar, Mrs Thos Mordan	50
Peach Molasses, Mrs W B Pennington	25

FRUIT HONEY.

Quince, Mrs C C Ammerman	50
Second, Mrs Samuel Miller	25
Pumpkin, Mrs Mary C Kline	50
Squash, " "	25
Pineapple, " "	50
Second, Mrs C C Ammerman	25
Tomato, Mrs Wm Wolf	50
Second, Mrs Nevin Ale	25
Grape, Mrs Wm Wolf	50
Pear, Mrs E L Lemon	50
Second, Paul Achenbach	25
Cherry, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
Currant, Mrs W H Neyhard	25

CLASS XIX.

HEAVY KNIT GOODS, ETC.

Pair woolen knit stockings, Mrs H D Barton	75
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Pair wool knit leggings, May Barkley	1 00
Second, Rebecca J Staymaker	50
Pair wool knit gloves, Mrs J S Hagenbuch	25
Pair wool knit mittens, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Second, Mrs W H House	25
Pair wool knit socks, Mrs Isaiah Kline	50
Second, Agnes Kitchen	25
Linen knit stockings, Mrs R Kitchen	75
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Cotton knit stockings, Mrs W H House	75
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	50
Knit mittens with zephyr back, Mrs David Yost	50
Table linen home made, Mrs R Kitchen	1 00
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Rag carpet, home made, Alice Hagenbuch	1 00
Second, Edna Heckman	50
Pair wool blankets, home made, Mrs Mary C Kline	1 50
Second, Mrs W G Creveling	75
Hearth Rug, Nora Creasy	1 00
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Calico Quilt, Mrs C B Chrisman	2 00
Second, Ira Cherrington	1 00
Cradle quilt, calico, Mrs G A Lane	1 00
Second, Lou Creveling	50
Lap spread, Mrs Mary C Kline	25
Display of flax, Mrs W B Pennington	25
Second, Mrs Martha Vanderslice	15
Worsted comfort, Mrs C A Small	1 00
Second, Nora Creasy	50
Coverlet, Mrs E L Lemon	1 00
Secon, Mrs W H Englehart	50
Knit horse lines, Mrs W H House	25
Flannel skirt, Mrs Henry Angle	25
Pulse warmers, Mrs Henry Angle	25
Second, Mrs W H House	15
Foot rest, Mrs Henry Angle	25
Pillow ticks, C A Melick	25
Cushion, C A Melick	15
Worsted Quilt, Mrs W M Achenbach	2 00
Second, Mrs M C Mead	1 00
Home made towel, Alice Hagenbuch	25
Second, Mrs Moore Demott	15
Shirt, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Second, Mrs E B Hess	25
Boys waist, Mrs D S Gramps	50
Second, " W H Neyhard	25
Linen thread " W B Pennington	15
Wollen yarn display, Mrs Isaiah Kline	1 00
Second, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Knit flynets " D S Gramps	25

Calico dress " Anna Belles	50
Secon'," D S Gramps	25
Knit hood, " V B Moyer	25
Pillow slips, linen, Mrs Abbie E Evans	25
Lounge cover, Mrs. F Anstock	25
Sheets, " W G Creveling	50
Second " Henry Angle	25
Linen splasher " W L Kelchner	25
Home made flannel, 10 yds. Mrs Millie Kistler	50
Pair Pillows, Mrs. Francis W. Hess	50
Worsted tidy " H L Vanderslice	25
Hooked rug figured, Mrs David Yost	75

CLASS XX.

KNIT, CROCHET AND PATCHWORK.

KNIT GOODS.

Bed spread, Mrs Austin Gray	2 00
Second " W D Holmes	1 00
Afghan for carriage, Mrs Austin Gray	2 00
Second " H D Barton	1 00
Baby afghan " W W Barrett	1 50
Second " A W Duy	75
Lady's skirt, Mrs M C Mead	1 00
Second, " Austin Gray	50
Silk mittens, Miss May G Barkley	75
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Wool ladies mittens, Mrs H D Barton	50
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	20
Tidy, " W W Barrett	75
Second " H D Barton	50
Infants socks, Miss Rebecca J Slaymaker	50
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	25
Infants sacque " H D Barton	50
Second " W W Barret	25
Cape, Miss Rebecca J Slaymaker	50
Second Mrs F Anstock	25
Work bag " Austin Gray	50
Second, " G A Lane	25
Slippers " A W Duy	50
Second " Austin Gray	25
Silk stockings " M C Mead	75
Second, " H D Barton	50
Hair reciever " Henry Angle	25
Whisp holder " Clara Oblosser	25
Stool cover, " Henry Angle	15
Wash Rag " " "	15
Dish Cloth " " "	15
Butter Towel " Miss C A Melick	15
Needle cushion, Mrs. E. B. Hess	25
Underwear, Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Photograph frame, Cora Hagenbuch	50
Second, Mrs. Edward Smith	25
Buttonholder do do	25
Matchholder do do	25
Lamp mat, Alice Hagenbuch	25
Throw, Mrs. W. M. Achenbach	25
Cotton Balls, Mrs. W. R. Gross	25
Thistle pompons, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	25
Shawl, Mrs. H. D. Barton	75
Second, " Edwin H. Ent	50
Linen sofa cushion, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	50
Bureau mats, May G. Barkley	25
Dolly, Alice Hagenbuch	10
Collar, Agnes Kitchen	15
Table gauze, Mrs. C. B. Chrisman	25
Laundry bag, do do	25
Sheet shams, Mrs. C. H. Kelchner	10
Stand cover, Mrs. S. G. Bryfogle	50
Tea cosy, Mrs. E. H. Ent	25
Infant's cap, do do	25
Hand bag, Mrs. W. H. House	25
Lamp shade, Mrs. W. R. Pursel	25
Quilted skirt, Nora M. Finney	50
Pen wiper, Mrs. M. A. Rawlings	25
Slumber shoes, Mrs. W. H. Neyhard	50
Baby's stockings, Vida Miller	25
Table mats Clara Oblosser	25
Sample darning, Elizabeth A. Low	15
Slipper case, Mrs. Austin Gray	25

CROCHET WORK.

Shawl, Mrs. M. C. Mead	1 00
Second, Mrs. W. D. Holmes	50
Toilet mats, Clara Vanderslice	50
Second, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	25
Infant's sacque, Mrs. M. C. Mead	50
Second, Mrs G. A. Lane	25
Child's sacque, Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Second, Mrs C. H. Kelchner	25
Table mats, Mrs. H. D. Barton	25
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	15
Fascinator, Mrs. M. C. Mead	15
Second, Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Sachet bag, Mrs. E. W. Welliver	50
Second, Mrs. Austin Gray	25
Cake mat Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Afghan, for carriage, Mrs. H. D. Barton	2 00
Second, Mrs. Austin Gray	1 00
Bed spread, Mrs. H D. Barton	2 00
Second, Mrs. Austin Gray	1 00
Ladies' suit underwear, Mrs Austin Gray	1 50
Tidy, Mrs. T. U. Schweppenhiser	75
Second, Mrs P. E. Sumner	50
Slumber robe, Mrs. R. A. Delong	1 00
Second, Nora Creasy	50
Slippers, Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Second, Mrs. Austin Gray	25
Cape, do do do	50
Collar, Mrs. R. Kitchen	50
Second, Agnes Kitchen	25
Bag for duster, Hannah Evans	25
Child's skirt, Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Second, Anna M. Fox	25
Cuff box, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	50
Second, Mrs. E. B. Hess	25
Pin cushion, Mary E. Barns	25
Lamp mat, Bertha Shoemaker	25
Second, Mrs. W. R. Pursel	15
Pillow Shams, Mrs. H. D. Barton	50
Second, Mrs. P. V. Foulke	25
Bread cover, Mrs. A. W. Duy	25
Jacket, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	50
Mittens, Mrs. G. F. Kindt	25
Afghan cushion do	25
Purse, Mrs. W. D. Holmes	50
Infant's dress, Mrs. C. B. Chrisman	50
Second, Mrs. W. H. Neyhard	15
Centrepiece, Mrs. John Bush	50
Hat, Mrs. C. B. Chrisman	25
Sofa cushion do	50
Second, Clara Dieffenbach	25
Head rest, Mrs. A. H. Swisher	25
Jewelry case, May G. Barkley	50
Second Mrs R. R. John	25
Newspaper holder do	25
Traveling case, Mrs. H. D. Barton	15
Card basket, Allie J. Kester	25
Table cloth, Vida Miller	50
Second Carrie Hidlay	25
Handkerchief case, Mrs. H. D. Quick	25
Sewing basket, Mrs. E. B. Hess	10
Dollies, Cora Hagenbuch	50
Second, Alice Hagenbuch	25
Bible cover, Mrs. E. B. Hess	50
Second, Mrs. E. H. Ent	25
Wild cotton balls, Mrs. E. L. Lemon	15
Wild cotton throw, do do	25
Comb case, Mrs. J. E. Wilson	25
Wash stand mat, Alice Hagenbuch	25
Pocket, Mrs. C. B. Chrisman	25
Key rack, do do	25
Toilet bottles do do	25
Foot rest, Mrs. E. W. Welliver	25
Pillow cases, Mrs. Nevin Ale	25
Second, Mrs. J. R. Bittenbender	15
Lavender sticks, Mrs. M. M. Phillips	25
Milk weed throw, do do	25
Midnight hush, Mrs. E. W. Welliver	10
Bureau scarf, Mrs E. E. Cadman	50
Afghan, for sofa, May G. Barkley	50
Cravat case, Mrs. John Bush	50
Second, Mrs H. D. Barton	25
Watch guard, Mrs. D. R. Coffman	25
Slipper case, Mrs. F. C. Eyer	25
Shoe bag, do do	15
Child's bib, Mrs. W. H. House	15
Night gown, Nora A. Finney	25
Hair wreath, Nora A Finney	50
Hair pin receiver, Mrs. H. D. Quick	25
Second, Mrs. W. G. Creveling	15
Machine work, Mrs. H. D. Barton	25
Sheet shams, Mrs. P. V. Foulk	50
Sample buttonholes, Mrs Pl Achenbach	15
Infant's socks, Annie M. Fox	25
Yoke, for chemise, Lizzie Palmer	25
Child's cap, Mrs. Julia A. Price	25
Col ar and cuff bag, Mrs. F. C Eyer	25
Album cover, Mrs. P. E. Sumner	25
Skirt, Mrs. Austin Gray	50
Second, Mrs. H. D Barton	25

SILK PATCHWORK.

Quilt, silk, Mrs F Anstock	3 00
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	1 50
Satin quilt, Mrs W H House	3 00
Second, Vida Miller	1 50
Velvet quilt, Mrs J R Schuyler	3 00
Second, Mrs W W Boone	1 50
Plush quilt, Mrs A W Duy	3 00
Second, Mrs F Anstock	1 50
Silk sofa cushion, Mrs A H Swisher	1 00
Second, Mrs W L Kelchner	75
Velvet sofa cush'n, Mrs H L Vanderslice	75
Plush, Mrs F Anstock	1 00
Second, Mrs Paul Achenbach	25
Slumber robe, Mrs G A Lane	75
Second, Mrs F C Eyer	50
Picture drapery, Mrs H D Barton	50
Second, Mrs Edward A Smith	25
Satin sofa cushion do	50
Silk quilt, for crib, Mrs A W Duy	1 00
Silk shawl, Nora A Finney	50
Infant's coat, Mrs S G Bryfogle	50
Hair switches, Mrs Julia A Price	25

CLASS 21—EMBROIDERY.

Ladies' skirt, Mrs R Kitchen	1 50
Second, Flora A Skeer	75
Table cover, Mrs Isaiah Hagenbuch	2 00
Second, Dora M Weyer	1 00
Lambrequin, Mrs Isaiah Hagenbuch	2 00
Second, Mrs W H Neyhard	1 00
Banner, Mrs H D Barton	1 00
Tidy, Mrs Austin Gray	75
Second, Mrs W H House	50
Six Doilies, Mrs G A Lane	1 00
Second, Dora M Weyer	50
Centre cloth, Mrs J J Lewis	1 00
Second, Stella Sober	50
Sofa cushion, Mrs T W Gunton	1 00
Second, Mrs H D Barton	50
Ladies' suit underwear, Mrs Austin Gray	1 00
Second, Mrs H D Barton	50
Infant's skirt, Mrs M C Mead	1 00
Second, Mrs F G Bryfogle	50
Toilet cushion, Dora M Weyer	75
Second, Mrs G A Lane	50
Pillow shams, Mrs Austin Gray	75
Second, Mrs A W Duy	50
Slippers, Mrs R Kitchen	75
Second, Mrs H D Barton	50
Lampmat, do do	50
Second, Mrs M C Mead	25
Pin cushion, May G Barkley	50
Second Rebecca J Slaymaker	25
Linen towel, Dora M Weyer	50
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	25
Sheet shams, do do	50
Six napkins, Mrs M C Mead	75
Second, Mrs G A Lane	50
Bureau scarf, Mrs H D Barton	1 50
Second, Mrs G A Lane	50
Bed spread, Mrs Austin Gray	1 00
Pillow cases, do do	75
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	50
Handkerchief case, Mrs A W Duy	50
Cravat case, Mrs Austin Gray	25
Veil case, do do	50
Laundry bag, Mrs C C Ammerman	50
Sideboard scarf, Mrs H D Barton	1 00
Second, Mrs G A Lane	50
Child's afghan, do do	50
Tray cloth, Mrs Lulu Kahler	1 00
Second, Mrs W R Pursel	50
Lunch cloth, Mrs G A Lane	50
Photo holder, do do	50
Second, Anna M Fox	25
Needle book, Mrs G A Lane	25
Handkerchief, Mrs T W Gunton	75
Second, Clara A Dieffenbach	50
Night dress Mrs M C Mead	1 00
Second, Mrs W M Achenbach	50
Water bottle doily, Vida Miller	50
Pillow, Mrs E M Knorr	75
Second, Mrs T W Gunton	50
Chemise, Mrs F Anstock	75
Second, Mrs Nevin Ale	50
Salt and pepper mats, Mrs A W Duy	50
Tea service mats do do	50
Cruet doily, Gertie Brown	50
Second, Mrs A W Duy	25
Bolster case, Mrs E L Lemon	50
Dolley, May G Barkley	50
Second, Mrs Ellis Ringrose	25
Stand cover, Mrs B A Hartman	75
Second Mrs H C Barton	50
Finger bowl dolley Mrs I Hagenbuch	75
Centrepiece, Mrs C A Small	1 00
Second, Clare Whitmoyer	50
Chair, Mrs Isaiah Hagenbuch	50
Carnations, Mrs Anna Walp	50
Table scarf, do do	75
Second, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Glove case, Mrs C B Chrisman	50
Jardiniere doiley, do do	50
Foot rest, Mrs D R Coffman	50
Baby shawl, Mrs W D Holmes	75
Second, Mrs S G Bryfogle	50
Needle case, Mrs D R Coffman	25
Baby bib, do do	25
Basket flowers, do do	25
Shawl, Mrs F C Eyer	1 00
Second, Mrs P V Moyer	50
Gingham dress, Mrs W H House	25
Canvas toilet set do do	20
Hat crown, Mrs P V Moyer	25
Bolting cloth, Mrs H D Barton	50
Braided pillow cases, Mrs F Anstock	50
do shams do do	25
Second, Mrs H C Barton	25
Braided sheet shams, Mrs F Anstock	55
Second, Mrs H C Barton	25
Child's dress, Mrs H Bierman	75
Second, Mrs H C Barton	50
Picture Throw, Flora A Skeer	25
Quilt, Mrs E E Cadman	1 00
Head rest, Mrs Austin Gray	25
Scrap bag, do do	25
Stocking bag, do do	25
Linen sheets, Mrs Austin Gray	75
Infant's lawn dress, Mrs W L Kelchner	25
Lap robe, Mrs Wm Gingles	75
Picture frame, Anna M Fox	50

ROMAN EMBROIDERY.

Sideboard scarf, Mrs Fred Nagle	75
Centre cloth, Vida Miller	1 00
Second, May G Barkley	50
Cap, Mrs E H Ent	50
Cut work centrepiece, Mrs E M Knorr	50
Dollies, Vida Miller	50

HEMSTITCHED WORK.

Pillow cases, Mrs E H Ent	75
Second, Mrs A W Duy	50
Skirt, Mrs M C Mead	50
Tea table set, Mrs A W Duy	75
Sheets, do do	50
Second, Mrs J S Hagenbuch	75
Handkerchief, Bertha Shoemaker	50
Second Mary E Hess	15
Bolster case, Mrs J. S. Hagenbuch	25
Table cloth, Mrs C B Chrisman	50
Dress, Mrs M M Phillips	75
Infant's skirt, do	50
Child's dress, Mrs D R Coffman	50
Baby strings, do do	15
Night gown receiver, Bertha Shoemaker	25

DRAWN WORK.

Six Doilies, Mrs John Bush	1 50
Second, Dora M Weyer	75
Handkerchief, Mrs A W Duy	1 00
Second, Mrs John Bush	50
Cake dolly, Rebecca J Slaymaker	75
Second, Mrs A W Duy	50
Bureau scarf, Alice J Kester	1 50
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	75
Centrecloth Cora Hagenbuch	1 00
Tidy, Mrs F C Eyer	75
Second, Mrs H D Barton	50
Bed spread, Mrs Austin Gray	1 00
Towel, Mrs Francis W Hess	50
Second, Mrs F Anstock	25
Splasher, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Tumbler Doilies Mrs. G A Lane	50
Second, Cora Hagenbuch	25
Table scarf, Mrs H D Barton	75
Second, Cora Hagenbuch	50
Sideboard scarf, Mrs H D Barton	1 00
Second, Dora M Weyer	50
Throw, Mrs W H House	50
Second, Rosa Mellick	25
Napkins, Mrs G A Lane	75
Second, Mrs J J Lewis	50
Bureau set, Mrs Fred Nagle	50
Pillow shams, do do	50
Tray cloth, Mrs Austin Gray	75
Second, Anna M Fox	50
Child's dress, Mrs John Bush	75
Second, Mrs A W Duy	50
Table cover, do	75
Sofa pillow, Cora Hagenbuch	50
Stand cover, Mrs John Bush	75
Second, Cora Hagenbuch	50
Bolster case, do	10
Baptismal robe, Mrs M M Phillips	1 00
Mexican scarf, Clare Whitmoyer	75
Braided night dress, Mrs F Anstock	75
Lunch cloth, Anna M Fox	50

CLASS 22—LACE AND WORSTED WORK, &c.

Display Macreme lace, Dora M Weyer	75
Second Mrs M C Mead	50
Darned net lace, Mrs David Stroup	75
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Rick rack lace, Mrs W H House	75
Second, Mrs M C Mead	50
Lace tidy, Mrs W H Neyhard	50
Second, Mrs W H House	25
Diamond lace, Mrs David Stroup	50
Point lace handkerc'f, Mrs M M Phillips	1 50
Second, Mrs Clara Mellick	75
Point lace, Mrs M M Phillips	1 00
Second, Mrs David Stroup	50
Honoton lace, Mrs G A Lane	75
Second, Mrs J R Schuyler	10
Knit lace, Mrs M C Mead	50
Second, Mrs Urbanus McBride	25
Crochet lace, Mrs W H House	50
Second, Mrs W H Runyan	25
Lace dolley, Mrs E H Ent	50
Second, Mrs H Bierman	50
Lace skirt, Mrs M M Phillips	75
Lace dress, Mrs A H Swisher	50
Second, Mrs M M Phillips	25
Lace sacque, do do	25
Lace handk'f, do do	50
Second, Mrs Paul Achenbach	25
Lace infant's coat, Mrs M M Phillips	50
Battenburg centrepiece, Mrs J W Knies	50
Second Mrs M M Phillips	50
P't lace plastroon, do	50
P't lace sailor collar, do	50
P't lace infant cap, do	30
Night dress, Mrs W H House	2
Rick rack tidy, Mrs Abbie E Evans	25
Battenburg lace table cover, Vida Miller	50
Pin cushion, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Linen thread lace, Mrs R Kitchen	25
Spider web lace, Mrs A H Swisher	25
Woolen lace, do do	25
Second, Agnes Kitchen	15
Samples of lace, Mrs A H Swisher	25
Rick rack dress, do do	25
Lace on pillow shams, Mrs G W Hess	25
" " apron, do do	15
" " pillow slips do do	25
" bureau cover, Anna M Fox	10

WORSTED WORK.

Foot rest, Rebecca J Slaymaker	50
Second, Mrs David Stroup	25
Reception chair, Rebecca J Slaymaker	75
Table cushion, Mrs G A Lane	50
Second, Rebecca J Slaymaker	25
Bag, for duster, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Ottoman cover, Mrs M C Mead	50
Sofa cushion, Dora M Weyer	50
Second, Mrs D S Gramps	25
Laundry bag, Mrs F C Eyer	25
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	15
Buttonhook holder, Mrs Mary C Kline	10
Scrap basket, Alice J Kester	15
Chair cushion, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Pansies, Mrs W H House	15
Slumber robe, Mrs W H House	25
Pin cushion, Mary E Hess	15
Second, Mrs A H Swisher	10
Infant's flannel skirt, Mrs A H Swisher	25

OUTLINE WORK.

Tidy, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Second, Rebecca J Slaymaker	25
Shoe bag, Mrs Austin Gray	25
Second, Mrs M C Mead	15
Pillow shams, Mrs R R John	50
Second, Mrs Henry Lohman	25
Bag, for duster, Rebecca J Slaymaker	25
Second, Mrs G A Lane	15
Foot rest, Rebecca J Slaymaker	25
Washstand cover, Dora M Weyer	25
Second, Mrs Austin Gray	25
Splash mat, do do	50
Second, Mrs R R John	25
Bureau cover Mrs David Stroup	50
Second, Mrs W H Angleheart	25
Quilt, Mrs Wm Johnson	1 50
Second, Mrs Emma Tronsue	75
Yoke and sleeves, Mrs R Kitchen	25
Umbrella cover, do do	25
Second, Mrs W H House	15
Carving cloth, Mrs C B Chrisman	15
Fruit tray cover, do do	15
Table cover, Mrs W R Pursel	50
Second, Mrs F Anstock	15
Rug, Mrs D S Gramps	25
Button bag, do	10
Laundry bag, May G Barkley	15
Com. comb & brush case, Mrs W H House	15
Chair throw, do do	15
Tray cloth Mrs A H Swisher	25
Second, Lulu Kahler	15
Combing cape, Mrs Moore Demott	15
Towel, Mrs F Anstock	25
Dolley, Mary E Hess	15
Second, Mrs Francis W Hess	15
Child's bib, Mrs A H Swisher	10

APRONS.

Scrim, May G Barkley	50
Second, Mrs C B Chrisman	25
Swiss, Mrs A W Duy	50
Second, May G Barkley	25
Linen, Mrs Austin Gray	50
Second, Mrs F C Eyer	25
Child's, Ada Hess	25
Satteen, Mrs Henry Angle	15
Second, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
Cross stitched, Mrs C A Mellick	10
Second, Mrs W H Neyhard	25
Outline, Mrs W H House	50
Second, Mrs M C Mead	25
Hemstitched, do	50
Second, May G Barkley	25
Calico, Mrs E H Hess	30
Second, Mrs C C Ammerman	15
Gingham, Mrs E L Lemon	30
Second, Mrs W H Neyhard	15
Kitchen, Mrs W M Achenbach	30
Second, do do	15
Cambric, Paul Achenbach	50
Second, Mrs W M Achenbach	25
Block work, Alice Hagenbuch	50
Net lace, Mrs D S Gramps	50
Second, Mrs R Kitchen	25
Drawn work, Mrs John Bush	50
Braided, Mrs W H House	30
Plaid, Mrs F C Eyer	30
Knitting, Flora A Skeer	30
Oil cloth Mrs W L Kelchner	25
Drilling, Mrs A H Swisher	25
Sunbonnet, Bertha Shoemaker	25
Second, Mrs E L Lemon	15

CLASS 23—PAINTINGS.

Landscape, in oil, Elizabeth A Low	4 00
Second Mrs Anna Walp	2 00
Portrait, in oil, Nora M Finney	4 00
Second, Mrs J E Wilson	2 00
Fruit, in oil, Mrs J J Lewis	3 00
Second, Elizabeth A Low	1 50
Water color painting, Lulu Kahler	3 00
Second, Vida Miller	1 50
Water color portrait, W S Capwell	3 00
Second Superior Portrait Co.	1 50
Crayon drawing, Elizabeth A Low	3 00
Second, Robert F Vanderslice	1 50
Crayon portrait do	3 00
Second, Lulu Kahler	1 50
Painting, on silk, Mrs Isaiah Hagenbuch	1 00
Second, Rebecca J Slaymaker	50
Painting, on panel, do	1 00
Second, Mrs D W Girton	50
Painted banner, Lulu Kahler	75
Second, Mrs C C Ammerman	50
Painting, on satin, Mrs M A Rawlings	75
Second Mrs John M Fritz	50
Painting, on placque, Mrs W R Pursel	1 00
Second, Lulu Kahler	50
Kensington painting, Mrs G A Lane	1 00
Second, Mrs David Stroup	50
Painting, on pottery, Mrs Henry Hower.	
do brass, Mrs G A Lane	1 00
Second, May G Barkley	50
Painted book cover, Mrs G A Lane	25
Painting, on glass, Elizabeth A Low	75
Second, Mrs John M Fritz	50
½ doz painted china plates, Lulu Kahler	2 00
Second, Mrs J J Lewis	1 00
½ doz cups and saucers, Vida Miller	2 00
Second, Elizabeth A Low	1 00
½ doz butter plates, Vida Miller	1 00
Second, Eva Rupert	50
Painted picture frame, Vida Miller	75
Second, Mrs J J Lewis	50
Painted vase, Vida Miller	75
Second, do	50
Painted brush & comb tray, Vida Miller	75
Second, Elizabeth A Low	75
Painted brush, Vida Miller	75
Painted mirror, do	50
Painted puff box, do	50
Bon bon dish, do	50
Bread plate, Elizabeth A Low	50
Second, Vida Miller	25
Pin tray, Elizabeth Low	35
Second, Vida Miller	25
Ring tray, do	25
Cream pitcher, Elizabeth Low	50
Second, Vida Miller	25
Sugar bowl, Eva Rupert	50
Second, Vida Miller	25
Painted feathers, Eva Rupert	25
Flowers in oil, Vida Miller	2 00
Second, Mrs H C Barton	1 00
Cake plate, Elizabeth Low	50
Second, Eva Rupert	25
Winter scene, Mrs Anna Walp	2 00
Second, Edward A Smith	1 00
Veil case, do do	50
Handkerchief box, Allie J Kester	70
Second, Mrs John M Fritz	25
Ptd table cover, Mrs Urbanus McBride	50
Painted picture folio, Eva Rupert	25
Painted table scarf, Hannah Evans	25
Painted slate, Hannah Evans	25
Painted watch holder, Edward A Smith	25
Painted pin cushion, do do	25
Painted calendar, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Painted foot rest, Mrs Isaiah Hagenbuch	25
Painted photographs, W S Capwell	50
Second, W S Capwell	25
Painted bible, Mrs Anna Walp	25
Lustra painting, Mrs John Bush	75
Pastel portrait, Mrs Henry Hower	3 00
Second, E B John	1 50
Painted shells, Mrs Henry Hower	25
Pen illustrations do do	75
Pencil drawings do do	2 00
Second Mrs D R Coffman	1 00
Painted kittens, Mrs J J Lewis	1 00
Cake basket, do do	50
Soup toureen, do do	50
Tete a tete set, do do	50
Ptd picture throw, Mrs H L Vanderslice	1 00
Painted plate, Mrs D R Coffman	25
Second, Mrs Henry Lehman	15
Painted sofa cushion, Mrs John M Fritz	50
Painted violet jar, Elizabeth Low	50
Tea caddy, do do	50
Olive dish, do do	25
Cracker dish, do do	25
Chocolate pot, do do	25
Painted birds, in oil, do do	1 00
Painted jewelry, Martha W McKinney	25
Painted necktie holder, Vida Miller	25
Second, Mrs John M Fritz	25
Painted glove box, do	25
Painted toilet set, do	25
Painted photo case, do	25
Painted tea set, Mrs H C Barton	1 00
Ptd group of chickens, Mrs M E Jenkins	1 00
Painted lambrequin, Mrs F Anstock	50
Crayon landscape, R F Vanderslice	1 00
Mechanical drawing, F E Miller	2 00
Second, E B John	1 00
Clay model, Mrs Henry Hower	50
Putty model, do do	50

DECORATIVE ART.

Shell work, Clara Vanderslice	25
Decorated bottles, Mrs Harry Fornwald	15
Second, Mrs E B Hess	10
Decorated basin, Edward W Smith	25
Feather wreath, Millie Kistler	50
Wreath, do	25
Decorated lantern, Mrs E L Lemon	15
Shaving paper, do do	15
Root basket, do do	15
Stamped chair, Mrs Fred Nagle	25
Salt work, Nora Kline	25
Stamped stand, do	15
Banner, Mrs W H House	25
Silk figure, Mrs M S Worthington	25
Feather flowers, Mrs T W Gunton	25
Rose bush paper, H B Sober	25
Bouquet of wheat, W J Martin	15
Horse shoe stool, Mrs Henry Lehman	25
Canteen, Mrs G W Hess	15
Beaded pin cushion, Mrs Julia A Price	25
Wax wreath, Mrs W H House	50

CLASS 24—FLOWERS AND PLANTS

Hanging basket, Mrs Hester Bomboy	50
Hanging plant, Miss C A Mellick	25
Bird's nest plant, Rosa Mellick	25
Begonia, Thos Trump	50
Second, Mrs Martha Vanderslice	25
Orange tree, Thos J Hoffman	50
Prim roses, Mrs T U Sweppenhiser	25
Fern, Mrs Taylor Ruckle	25
Ice plant, Mrs F Anstock	25
Cadaily, Mrs Chas Whitenight	25
Second, Mrs C Kramer	15
Oatmeal orange, Mrs. C Kramer	25
Stone plant, Mrs T W Gunton	25

CLASS 30—MISCELLANEOUS.

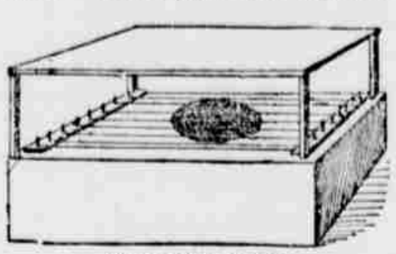
Relics, Mrs Laura Unger	25
Old tumbler and plate, Mrs P V Moyer	15
Old dish, Mrs Chas Hassert	10
Old dish, Paul Achenbach	10
Old dish, Mrs W H Angleheart	10
Card banner, Miss C A Melick	10
Foot rest, Mrs L Melick	10
Air castle, H B Sober	10
Old bible & candle sticks, Mrs E B Hess	25
Candle sticks, Martha W McKinney	15
Old relics, Edward W Smith	10
Second, Mrs Abbie Evans	15
Snuffers, Mrs W H Englehart	10
Second, Flora E Skeer	05
Relics, Mrs E L Lemon	15
Tea pot, Alice Hagenbuch	10
Child's doll, Martha Wilson	15
Pitcher, Mrs Abbie Evans	15
Second, Alice Hagenbuch	10
Relics, Mrs R Kitchen	25
Old comb, Martha W McKinney	10
Sugar bowl, Mrs W L Kelchner	10
Old cup and saucer, Mrs W S Faust	15
Collection of relics, Mrs C H Kelchner	35
Deer horns, Wm Abbott	25
Collection relics, Mrs W H House	50
Sugar tongs, Mrs F C Eyer	15
Old quilt, Mrs D P Straytan	25
Spectacles, Mrs Abbie Evans	15
Sea shells and fan, Mrs. W H Neyhard	20
Coffee box, Mary E Barnes	15
Old dish, Martha W McKinney	10
Rolling pin, Mary E Barnes	10
Baby's dress, Gertie Brown	10
Linen table cloth (old), Geo K Hess	10
Collection of relics, G P Frymire	25
Case of horse shoes, T L Smith	50
Powder horn, M M Hartzell	10
Water jug, E B John	10
Bread basket and frame, Mary E Dodson	25
Parcheesi board, J M Pursel	10
Shawl and revolver, W H Runyan	15
Old linen, Mrs Wm Johnson	15
Old pants, " Henry Angle	15
Shaving cup " Julia A Price	10
Lamb skin robe, Mrs E L Lemon	25
Sample cushion, Edward A Smith	10
Old towel, Mrs Nevin Ale	15
Deer head, C E Welliver	25
Wood link chain, Mrs E W Welliver	50
Collection, " Henry Lehman	25
Flax hitchle & jug " Chas Hassert	25
Samplers, " M S Worthington	25
Old reticule, Martha W McKinney	10
White crow, Julia A Price	10

AEOLIAN WIND HARP.

Anybody Can Make One of These Charming Musical Instruments.

Aeolus, the god of the winds, claimed the wind harp as his own, but since he never obtained a patent on his instrument there is no law against appropriating his invention. Its construction is very simple, and with a little care an instrument can be produced whose music is far more sweet than the door harps now so common.

To make a wind harp procure a box made of thin, well-seasoned wood—pine preferred—about four inches high and six inches wide. Cut a circular hole in the top and sandpaper the rough edges. This is your sounding board.



THE WIND HARP.

Across each end of the box and on top fasten a slat of oak or some other very hard wood, a quarter of an inch wide. In one of these slats drive seven flatheaded tacks equidistant from each other, and in the other slat fix the same number of twisting screws, such as are used on banjos. From these stretch your strings, which should be all of the same size and of catgut. The "G" guitar string will be found the best for this purpose. Now tune all the strings in unison, and the harp is completed. It is, however, well to add a reflector to throw out the sound. This is easily accomplished by placing a thin board above the box, supporting it on sticks fitting into rests, which are glued in the corners of the box. The reflector also answers as a shield to prevent injury to the harp.

Place the harp in a current of air, as upon the sill of a half open widow. The sound produced by the wind passing over the strings as it rises and falls is of a drowsy, lulling character and extremely melodious.—N. Y. Recorder.

Origin of the Three Gold Balls.

People who are compelled to go to their "Uncle" for temporary advances on personal property have often speculated as to the origin and significance of the three balls which are the most conspicuous exterior advertisements of the establishments appertaining to the aforesaid "Uncle." The pawnbroker's sign was, originally, the arms of the famous family of the Medici in Italy, whose ancestor was a physician and adopted as his device three pills. The Medici became bankers and money lenders, and amassed enormous wealth from lending money at the high rates of interest prevailing in their time. When banks were established in other cities than Florence, the Medici sign of three suspended balls became the mark of a bank, and the practice spread into France, Spain and Germany. By and by, however, as this sign was adopted by a lower class of money lenders, who made advances on personal property, it fell into disrepute among the higher grade of financiers, and, being dropped by the bankers, was still continued by the lower class, and finally was restricted entirely to such money lenders as received pledges as security for loans.—St. Louis Democrat.

He Was Made a Sergeant.

A pretty story, savoring of the romantic, is told in the French press about the kaiser. Recently his majesty went to the Berlin barracks alone. The corporal on guard recognized the kaiser immediately, and saluted him. The kaiser was pleased, and, approaching the soldier, said: "Why do you look so sad, corporal?" The corporal did not reply. The emperor then asked if he was disappointed in love. At this the corporal found his tongue, and replied that he wished to marry Marguerite, the daughter of his sergeant-major, but that her father would not give his consent until he became a sergeant. "And do you love her very much?" asked the kaiser. "Oh, yes," was the reply. "Then," said the emperor, "go and tell your future father-in-law that William II. makes you a sergeant."

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as an adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress ¼ the price of coffee. 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

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HE WAS SURPRISED

Remarkable Growth of Uncle Dooley's Squashes.

Uncle Dooley is one as never lets on he's surprised at nothing. No matter what yer tell him he teks it as carmly as if it was "nuthin' out o' the common. I don't l'ke a man to act like that. I think it's mean. When I tell anybody a serprizing tale I expecks 'em to be astonished. I expecks 'em to say, "Bless me!" or "Law sakes alive!" or "You don't say!" A person as says nuthin' I've not use for, said a rural narrator to The Mail.

Uncle Dooley says it's wimmin' as does that there. 'Tain't often I'm put out by him, 'cause I've found him out. But some o' the boys can't abide him. When they told him his aunt's house was afire all he said was "he reckoned it 'ud ha' to burn." And when Sam Thomas's cow died he on'ey said he reckoned Sam 'ud ha' to get another. I don't call that bein' neighborly, let alone actin' like a gentleman.

You could tell he was a bit conceited from his acting like that there. Nobody but a man as thought a deal of hisself 'ud do a thing like that.

But, my stars! we've surprised him this week. The boys planned it weeks ago.

You see, Uncle Dooley prides hisself on getting up some big vegetable marrers for the exhibition. He thinks he can grow 'em better nor anybody else, and I'm ready to allow as he does grow some big 'uns. Well, we'd pass his place and look over the fence and say they was gettin' big as usual, and we supposed he'd get the first prize again and such like. And he'd look that kinder sour as though he didn't care whether they did or not. That was all his artfulness, for he was bustin' with pride inside.

But, my stars! what a serprize the boys gin him!

These marrers was most awful big. They lay among their leaves like pumpkins more than marrers. Liquid manure was what he used, I reckon. Anyhow, they was twice as big as anybody else's.

But, lawks! Pride must have a fall! How we! them boys managed it! It was Tim Jenkins as put 'em up to it. Tim is at an electric works in the city and came home for a week's holiday. It was him as done it. What 'd he do but get six small dynamite cartridges and bore holes with a centre bit in the six biggest marrers. Then he put in the cartridges and connecks 'em with a 'lectric wire as reached to the tother side of Uncle Dooley's big garding. Well, the word was passed around and half the village was looking over his fence that evening.

"My! they're big 'uns," says one.

"Uncle's sure o' the prize this year," says another.

"I can't tell how he does it," says a third.

All the time Uncle Dooley was makin' as though he was tired of hearing these remarks passed. He smoked his pipe and looked horty. It was nuts to him to hear the naybours praising his marrers.

There must ha' been sixteen of us looking over his fence when, bang! went the first cartridge. Tim Jenkins had connected the switch and it acted like a charm.

"Hello!" says one, "why, they're busting themselves, Uncle Dooley."

"One's no matter,' says he; "I've had 'em that way afore."

Which was a downright lie.

The words was no sooner outen his mouth than, bang! went the second cartridge, and blew another big marrer to smithereens.

"Good gracious, Uncle Dooley! what the dooce is the matter with your marrers?" I yells.

"Just a bit overripe," he says, calmly.

But when No. 3, 4, 5 and 6 went off in quick succession, I can tell you I never saw flabbergastedness grow on a man's face like it grew on Uncle Dooley's. Him keeping it back so long, when it did tek him it did him up. The last two marrers was the biggest, and they flew all to pieces with a report like a cannon. One o' the pieces hit Uncle Dooley plump on the nose. His eyes was nearly starting outen his head. Talk about serprize! After looking like a luny for a half a second he reeled over and fell flat on his face in a fainting fit.

Yes, I rather reckoned he was serprized for wunst. P'raps he'll be a bit more agreeable now.

Of course we loosed his collar and doused his head with cold water. But pleased was not the word for our feelin's. We was simply delighted.—Toronto Mail.

Not Equal to it.

"What's the matter, John?" asked his wife.

"I have had a shock, Maria," replied Mr. Billus, passing his hand feebly across his forehead and sinking into a chair.

"For mercy's sake, John, don't keep me in suspense! What is it?"

With trembling fingers he took a letter out of his pocket and handed it to her.

Mrs. Billus ran her eye over it hastily and turned deathly pale.

It was a notice from the ice company to the effect that Mr. I. Billus had overpaid his ice bill to the extent of $4.65 which amount the company begged leave to refund, as per check inclosed, etc.

Retreating Forehead.

"He has a retreating forehead," said the girl in blue.

"Nonsense!" exclaimed the girl in gray, indignantly. "He has a very high forehead."

"Nevertheless," persisted the girl in blue, "his forehead retreats clear to the back of his neck."

Of a truth, he was prematurely bald, but the girl in gray continued to be indignant just the same.

A Colored Economist.

"John," said a Georgia farmer to one of his field hands, "you ought to be laying up something now. I pay you fifty cents a day."

"Yes, suh."

"Well, how much do you save out of it?"

"Forty-five cents, suh."

"Is that all?"

"Good Lo'd, Marse Tom! I got to live on de balance!"

BIGGEST DOG IN THE WORL

Tige, the Mastiff, is as Large as a Full Sized Tiger.

Tige is the largest dog in the world. His name is a suitable one, for he is as large as a full-sized tiger and considerably larger than the average lion. This monster dog is an English mastiff by race, and belongs to Sam Geno, of Rutland, Vt., who affirms that he is as able as he is big. Tige's measurements are as follows: Length, 7 feet 5 inches; waist, 48 inches; neck, 29 inches; height, 39 inches. He stands eight inches higher than a dining room table. Tige is only three years of age, and has not yet acquired his full weight or strength. Mr. Geno has taught his dog to box, and he is anxious to match him to fight five rounds with any pugilist on earth. Mr. Geno would like very much to have Tige meet Bob Fitzsimmons, and the dog is thoroughly in accord with him.

Tige will undertake not to bite, scratch with his hind legs or to attack his human opponent otherwise than with his fore paws encased in gloves. He is understood to be a thoroughly reliable and sportsmanlike dog. The giant dog is a handsome animal. He has the black and wrinkled muzzle, low lap, deep chest, narrow hind quarters and all the other characteristics of the well bred mastiff. It is a curious and pleasing spectacle to see this enormous beast, who is large enough to eat a man, playing with a small child. He allows the children to pull his ears, to hang on by his tail and to walk on him, and appears to be highly pleased by the performance. The mastiff is the most ancient of all watch dogs, and Tige knows his hereditary business. Who would care to break into a house guarded by him?

Daniel Webster and His Oxen.

Some recent visitors to Daniel Webster's old home in Marshfield, Mass., found only one man in the neighborhood who could talk from personal knowledge about the statesman, and not a soul who bore his name or claimed direct or indirect descent from him. The exception was an aged person named Wright, who said that in the old days he had been the superintendent of Webster's big farm, and had known him well and intimately for years, not as the great orator and politician of course, but as the gentleman farmer, kindly employer and good neighbor. Mr. Wright somewhat reluctantly admitted that as an agriculturist his famous friend was not a brilliant success in a pecuniary way, but he says that no one ever loved a quiet rural life better or took a keener, more minute or more personal interest in all that went on in the fields, woods and barns. "He loved this place, every tree and flower and living thing on it. He knew every sod that was turned, every cow that was milked, every blade of grass that was mowed—and his steers! There was a man who knew an ox." And then Mr. Wright told how Webster, when near death's door, had his favorite oxen driven up before the window of the manse that has now disappeared. "I was there and drove them up, two by two, while Webster stood by the window and watched them pass. It was a sad day for that household, and when he was gone everything began to go down hill. At the end of two years the place was closed up and sold piecemeal. Some parts of it fetched good prices, others almost nothing." According to this authority Webster never drank to excess, and "his only trouble was the fact that he did not have as much money as he needed." Mr. Wright is over eighty years old, but he still works daily in his fields and shows few signs of extreme age.—New York Times.

Iron Working in Central Africa.

The working of iron is certainly the most advanced art in this region of Africa. The ore is mined, smelted and fashioned by the natives with great skill. Outside many of the villages stands the village smithy, merely a roof of shade boughs and grass supported by stakes. Here congregate the village gossips, who justify their presence by an occasional turn at the bellows. The tools are primitive, a rock for an anvil, a weighty stone for the sledge and pieces of iron bound to wooden handles for the finer shaping and ornamental work. The bellows consist of two goatskins, each furnished with an open mouth like a purse and connected up by a piece of bamboo pipe to a narrow clay iron nozzle about nine inches long.

The blower sits on the ground, seizes the mouth of each skin in either hand and raises and lowers them alternately, first with the mouth open and with a quick upward stroke to take in the air, then with the mouth closed and a tremulous downward pressure to force the blast. By this rude process a hot charcoal fire is maintained, and the work turned out is excellent for the primitive implements used. Knives of great utility and which take a good rough cutting edge; arrowheads and spears, many of them curiously barbed and twisted, and some showing a knowledge of the value of the "blood grove;" axes for battle and for general purposes, ornamented with linear patterns and beaded edges, and with the blades set at an acute angle to the shaft so that every ounce of power is transmitted in the direction of the blow.—Georgraphical Journal.

Small Screws.

The smallest screws ever made are used in the manufacture of the miniature watches which are sometimes fitted in rings, shirt studs, bracelets, etc. They are the next thing to invisible to the naked eye, looking like minute grains of sand. With a good glass, however, it may be plainly seen that each is a perfect screw having a number of threads equal to 1,260 to the inch. These tiny screws are 4-1,000ths of an inch in diameter and 7-1,000ths of an inch in length. It is estimated that a lady's thimble of average size would hold 100,000 of them. No attempt is ever made to count these "tiny triumphs of mechanical ingenuity," other than to get a basis for information. The method usually pursued in determining their number is to carefully count 100, and then place them on a delicate balance, the number of a given amount being determined by the weight.—Waterbury Magazine.